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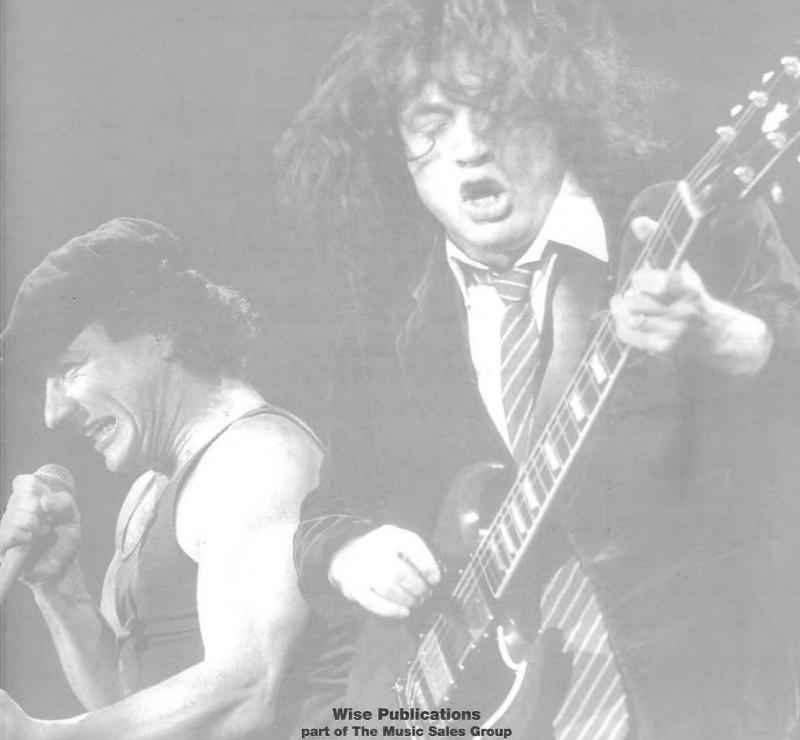
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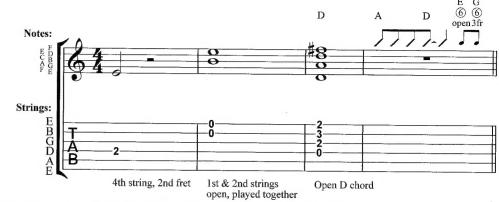
guitar tablature explained

Guitar music can be notated in three different ways: on a musical stave, in tablature and in rhythm slashes

RHYTHM SLASHES: are written above the stave. Strum chords in the rhythm indicated. Round noteheads indicate single notes.

THE MUSICAL STAVE: shows pitches and rhythms and is divided by lines into bars. Pitches are named after the first seven letters of the alphabet.

TABLATURE: graphically represents the guitar fingerboard. Each horizontal line represents a string, and each number represents a fret.



definitions for special guitar notation

SEMI-TONE BEND: Strike the note and bend up a semi-tone (½ step).



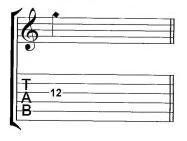
BEND & RELEASE: Strike the note and bend up as indicated, then release back to the original note.



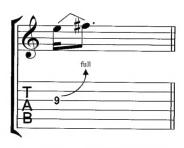
HAMMER-ON: Strike the first note with one finger, then sound the second note (on the same string) with another finger by fretting it without picking.



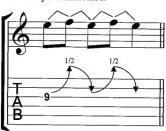
NATURAL HARMONIC: Strike the note while the fret-hand lightly touches the string directly over the fret indicated.



WHOLE-TONE BEND: Strike the note and bend up a whole-tone (full step).



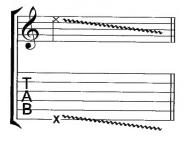
COMPOUND BEND & RELEASE: Strike the note and bend up and down in the rhythm indicated.



PULL-OFF: Place both fingers on the note to be sounded, strike the first note and without picking, pull the finger off to sound the second note.



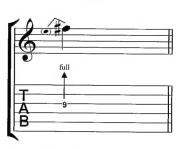
PICK SCRAPE: The edge of the pick is rubbed down (or up) the string, producing a scratchy sound.



GRACE NOTE BEND: Strike the note and bend as indicated. Play the first note as quickly as possible.



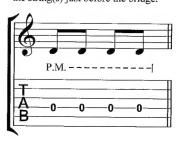
PRE-BEND: Bend the note as indicated, then strike it.



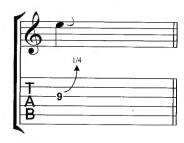
LEGATO SLIDE (GLISS): Strike the first note and then slide the same frethand finger up or down to the second note. The second note is not struck.



PALM MUTING: The note is partially muted by the pick hand lightly touching the string(s) just before the bridge.



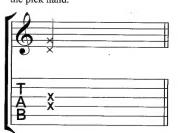
QUARTER-TONE BEND: Strike the note and bend up a ¼ step



PRE-BEND & RELEASE: Bend the note as indicated. Strike it and release the note back to the original pitch.



MUFFLED STRINGS: A percussive sound is produced by laying the first hand across the string(s) without depressing, and striking them with the pick hand.



SHIFT SLIDE (GLISS & RESTRIKE) Same as legato slide, except the second note is struck.



TAP HARMONIC: The note is fretted normally and a harmonic is produced by tapping or slapping the fret indicated in brackets (which will be twelve frets higher than the fretted note.)

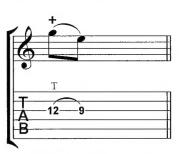
TAPPING: Hammer ('tap') the fret indicated with the pick-hand index or middle finger and pull-off to the note fretted by the fret hand.

PINCH HARMONIC: The note is fretted normally and a harmonic is produced by adding the edge of the thumb or the tip of the index finger of the pick hand to the normal pick attack.

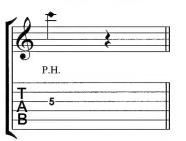
ARTIFICIAL HARMONIC: The note fretted normally and a harmonic is produced by gently resting the pick hand's index finger directly above the indicated fret (in brackets) while plucking the appropriate string.



TRILL: Very rapidly alternate between the notes indicated by continuously hammering-on and pulling-off.



RAKE: Drag the pick across the strings with a single motion.



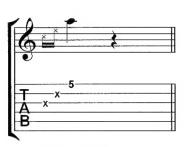
TREMOLO PICKING: The note is picked as rapidly and continously as possible.



ARPEGGIATE: Play the notes of the chord indicated by quickly rolling them from bottom to top.



SWEEP PICKING: Rhythmic downstroke and/or upstroke motion across the strings.



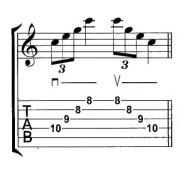
VIBRATO DIVE BAR AND RETURN: The pitch of the note or chord is dropped a specific number of steps (in rhythm) then returned to the original pitch.

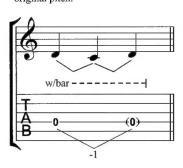


VIBRATO BAR SCOOP: Depress the bar just before striking the note, then quickly release the bar.



VIBRATO BAR DIP: Strike the note and then immediately drop a specific number of steps, then release back to the original pitch.







additional musical definitions



(accent)

Accentuate note (play it louder)

D.S. al Coda

Go back to the sign (%), then play until the bar marked *To Coda* \oplus then skip to the section marked \oplus *Coda*



(accent)

Accentuate note with greater intensity

D.C. al Fine

Go back to the beginning of the song and play until the bar marked *Fine*.



(staccato)

Shorten time value of note

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Instrument is silent (drops out).

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Downstroke

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Upstroke

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Repeat bars between signs

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NOTE: Tablature numbers in brackets mean:

The note is sustained, but a new articulation (such as hammer-on or slide) begins

2. A note may be fretted but not necessarily played.



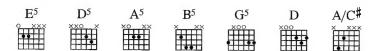
When a repeat section has different endings, play the first ending only the first time and the second ending only the second time.

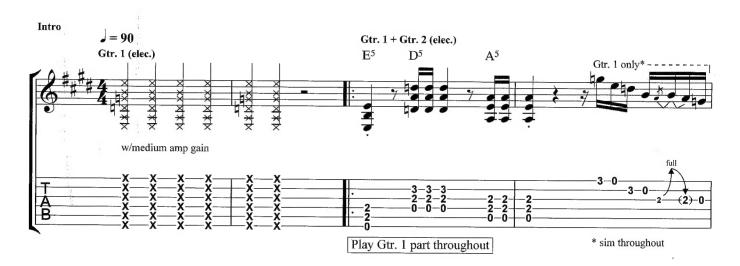
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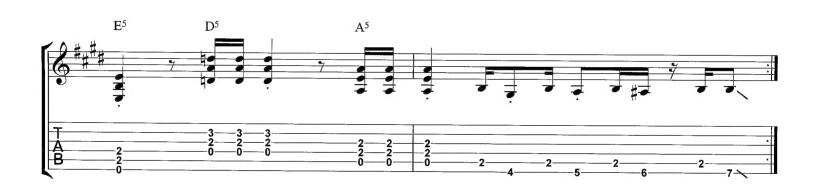
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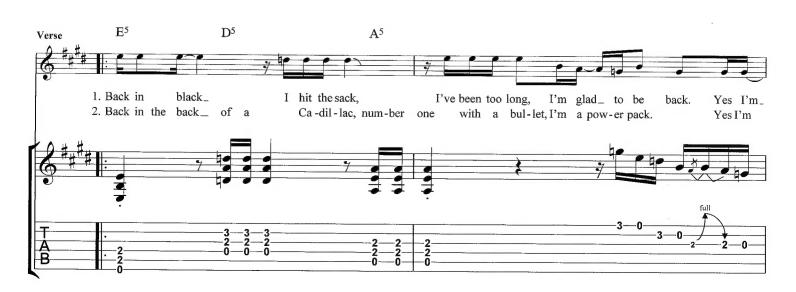
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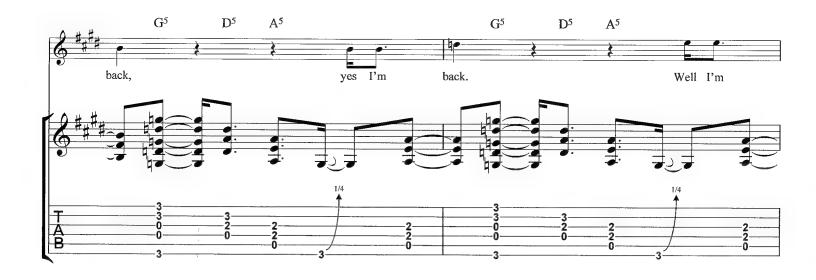


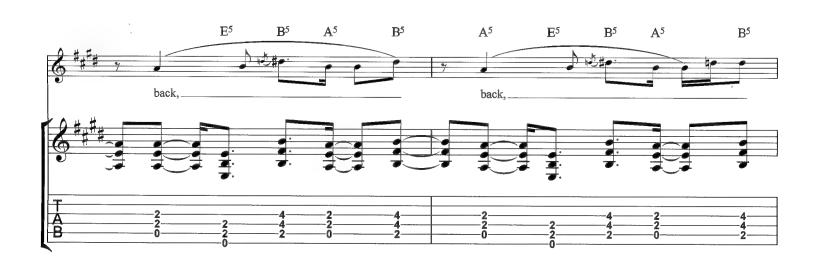


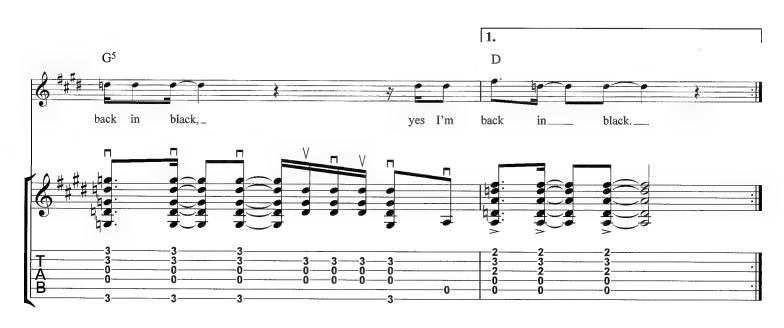


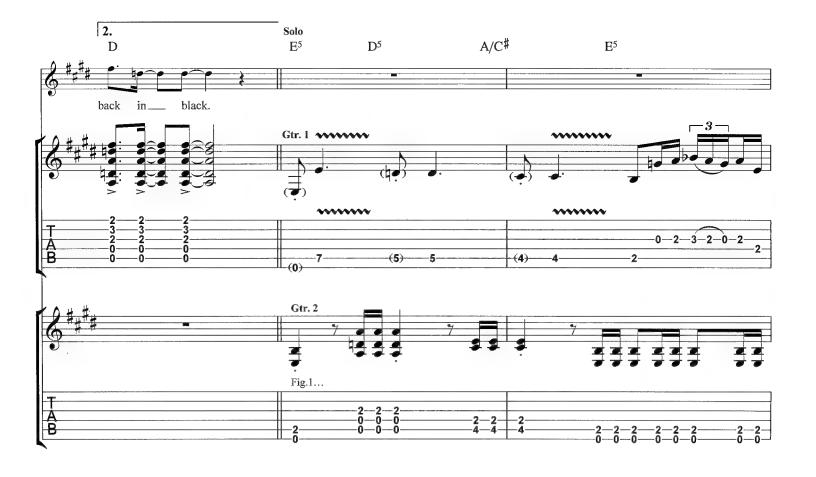


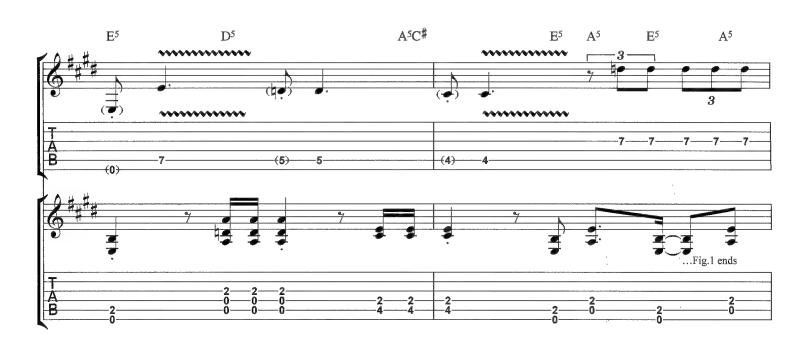


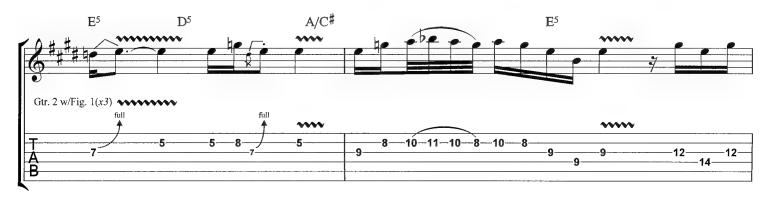




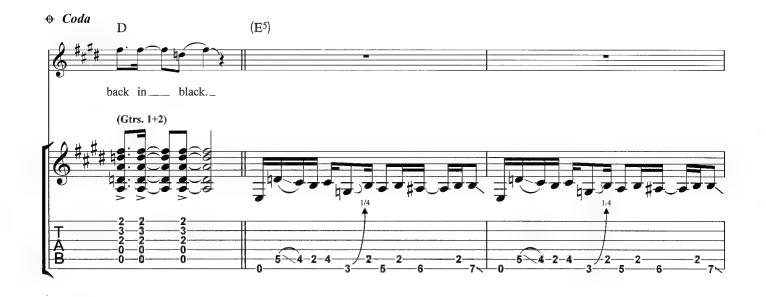


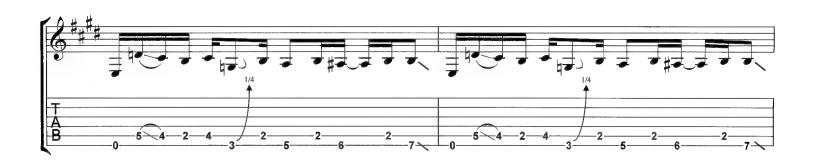






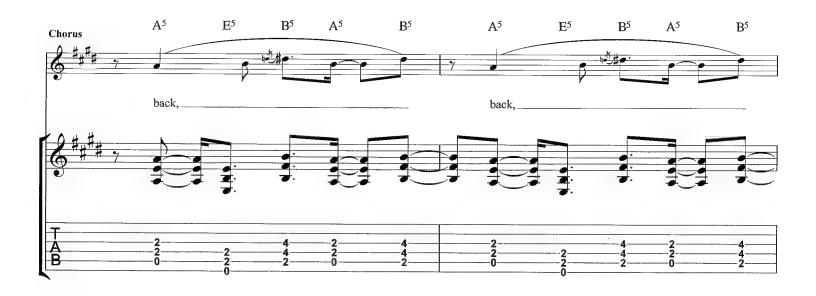


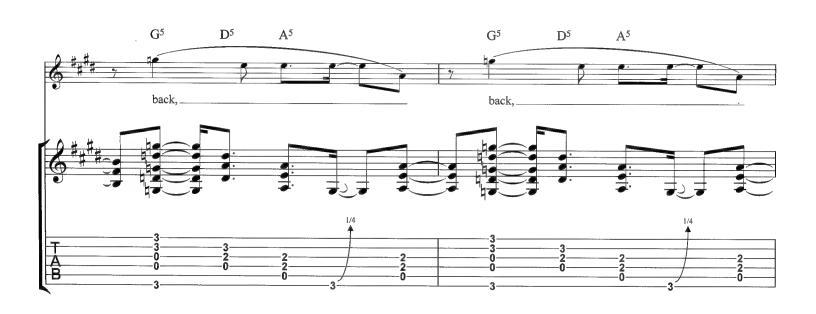


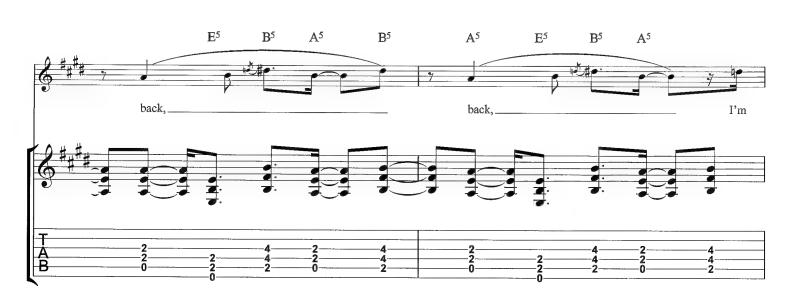


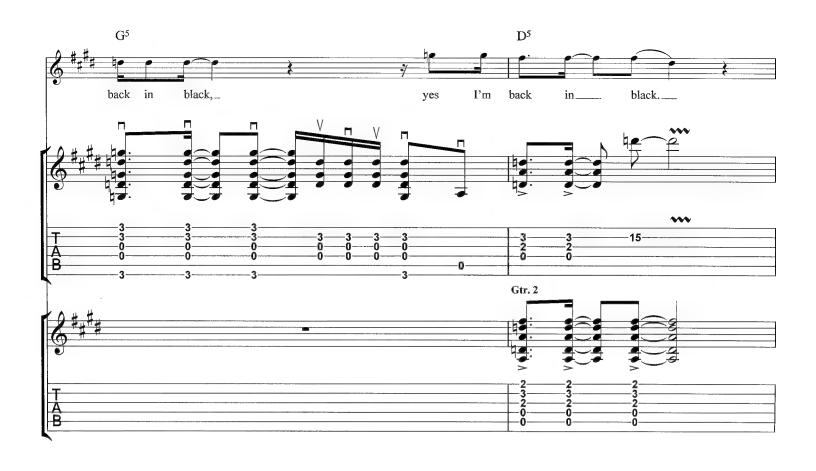


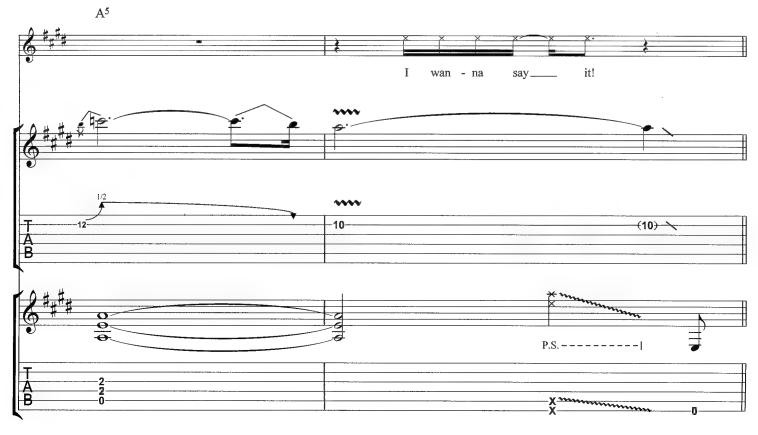


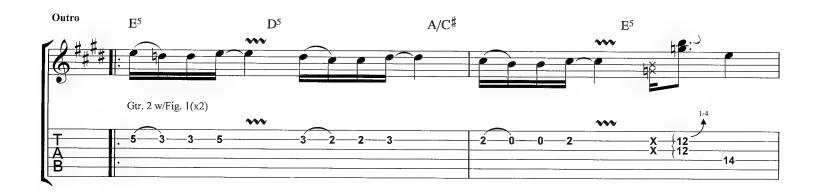


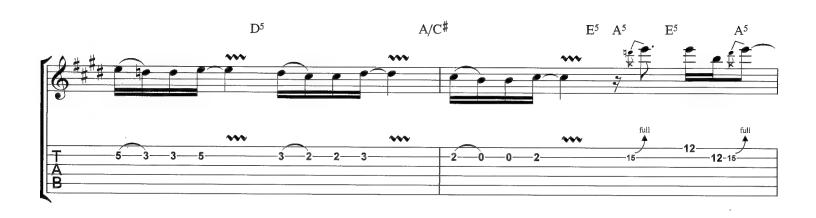


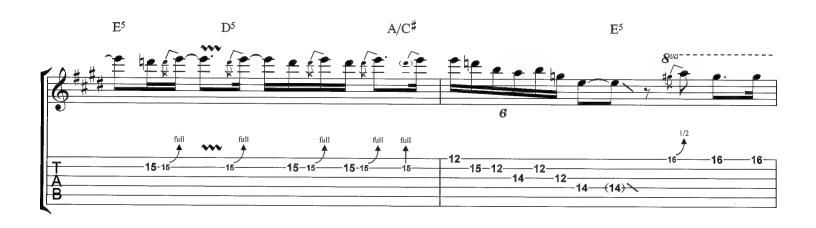


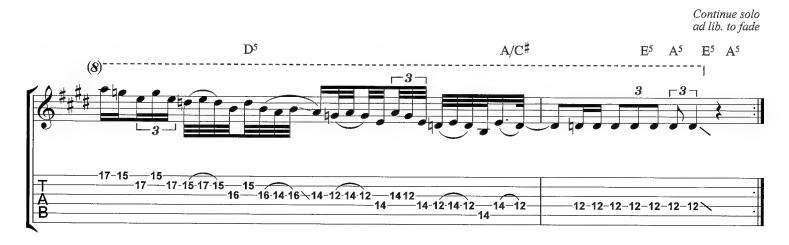






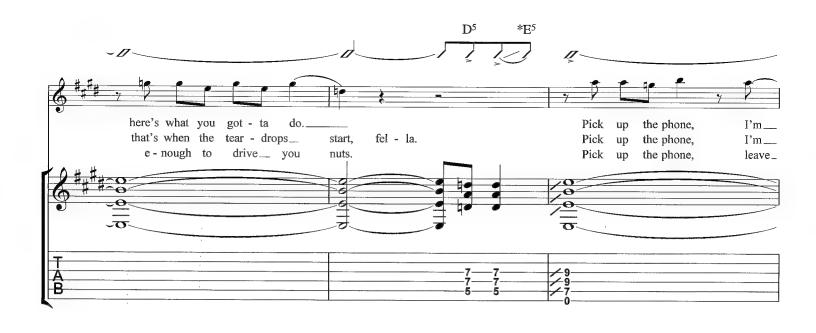


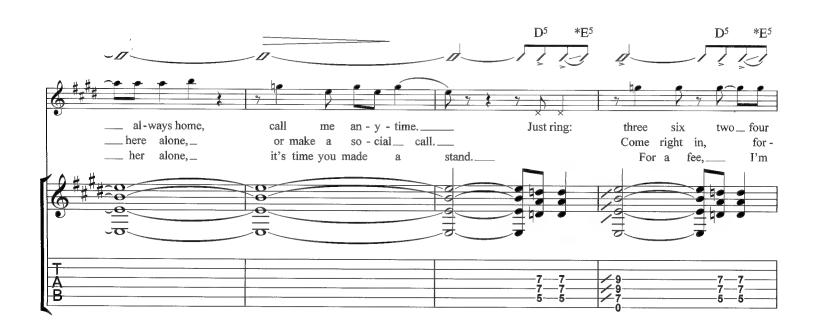


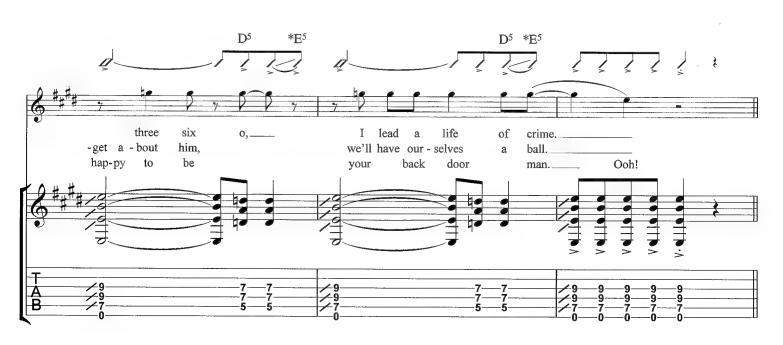


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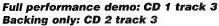


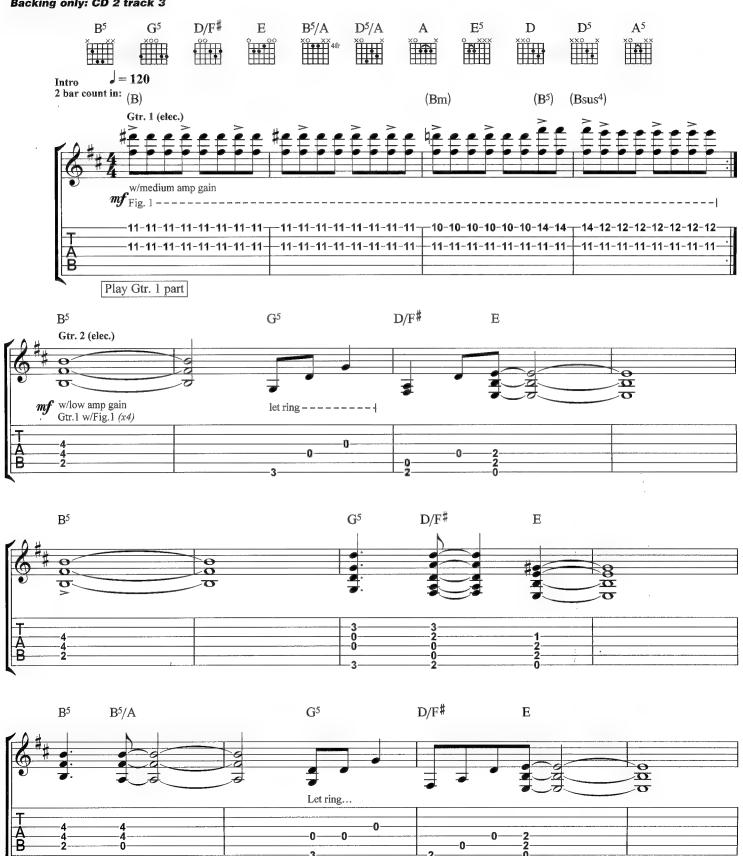


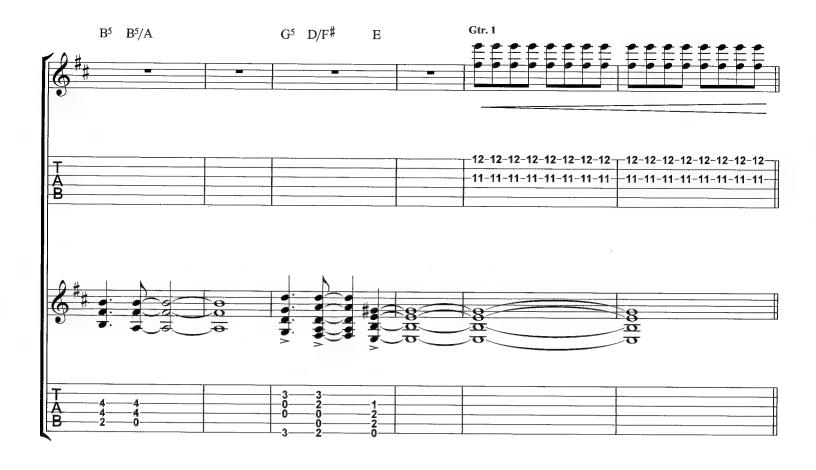
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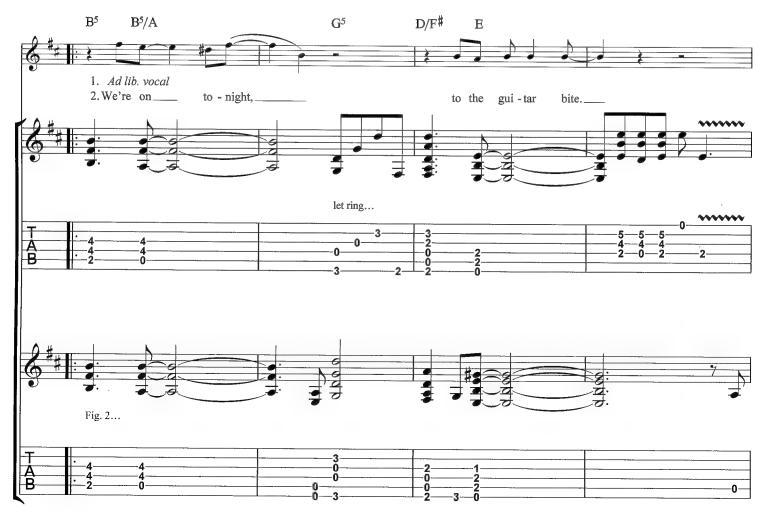
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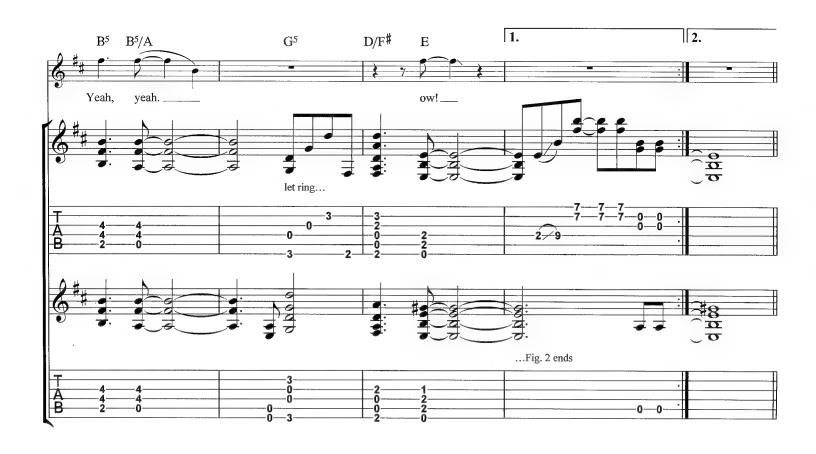
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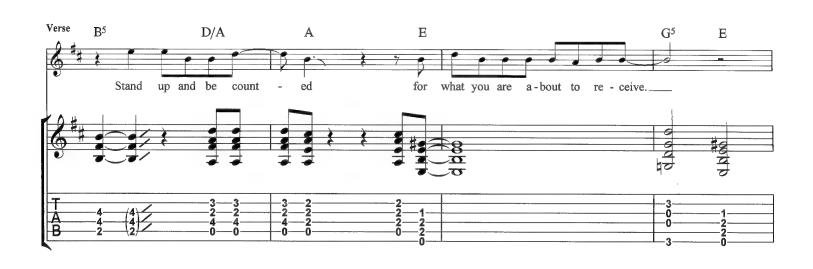


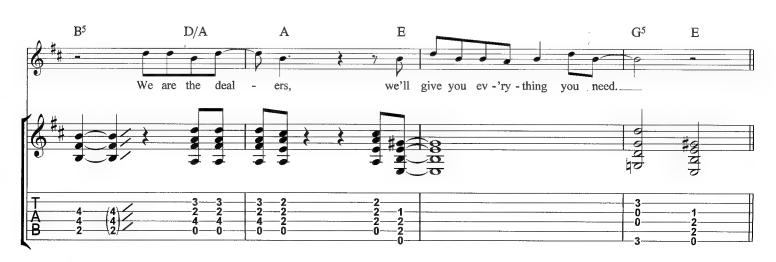






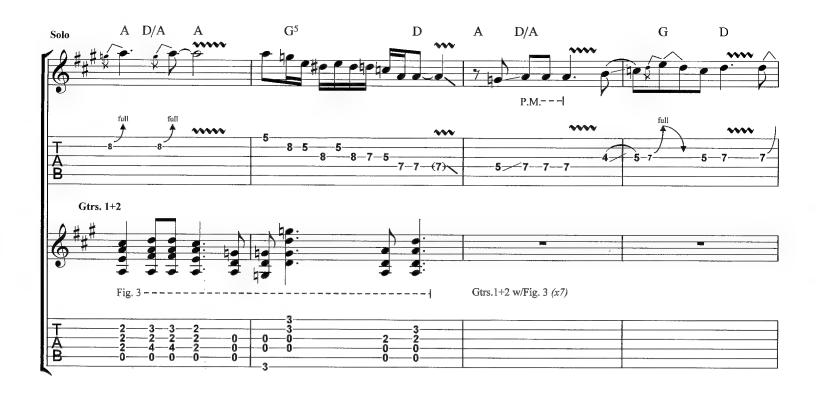


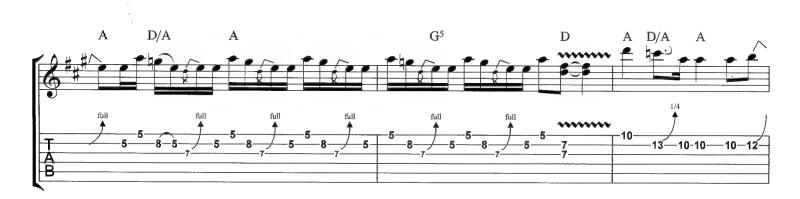


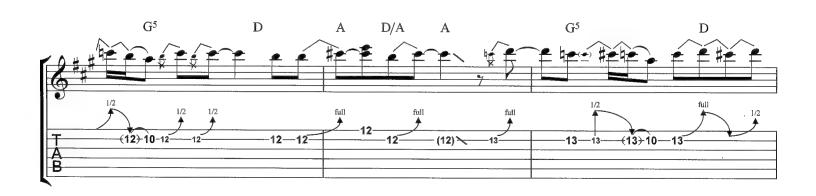


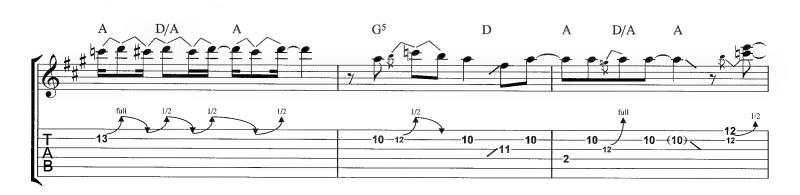


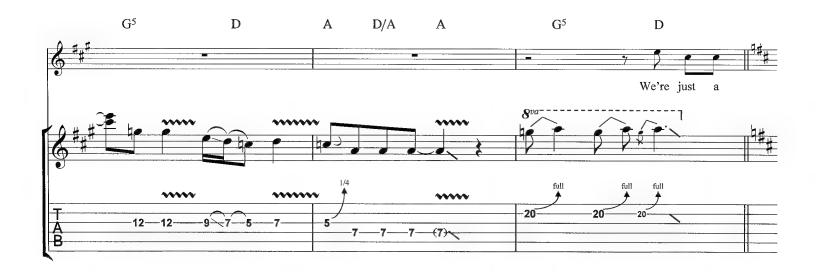


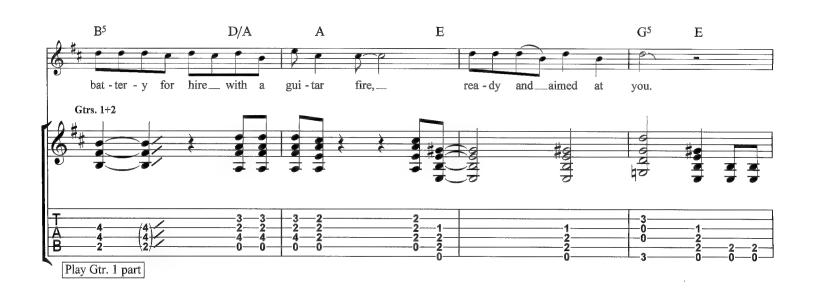


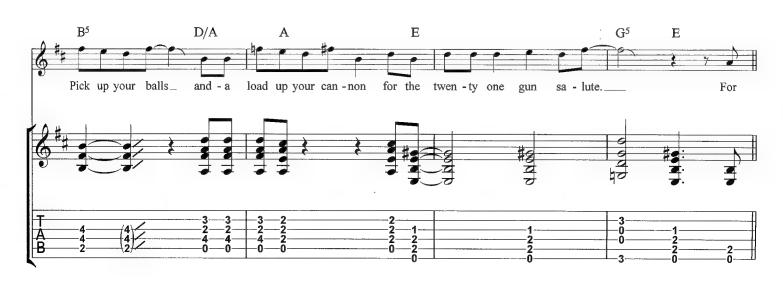


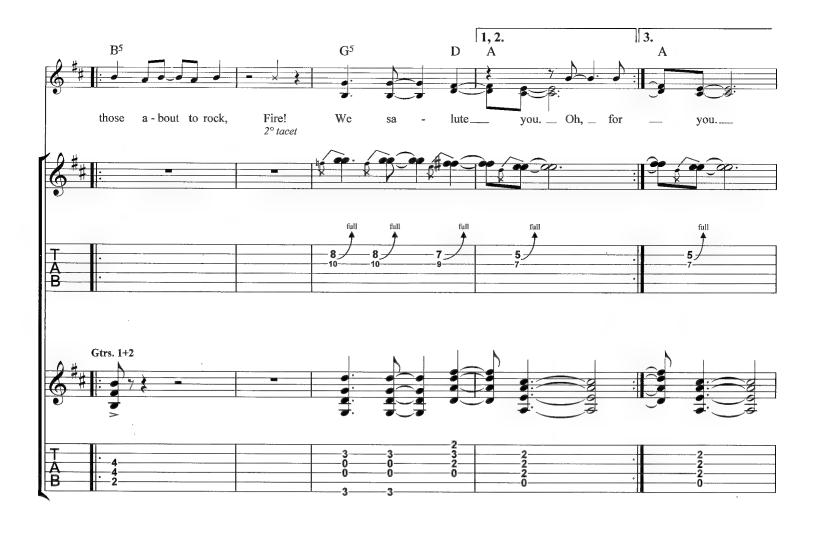


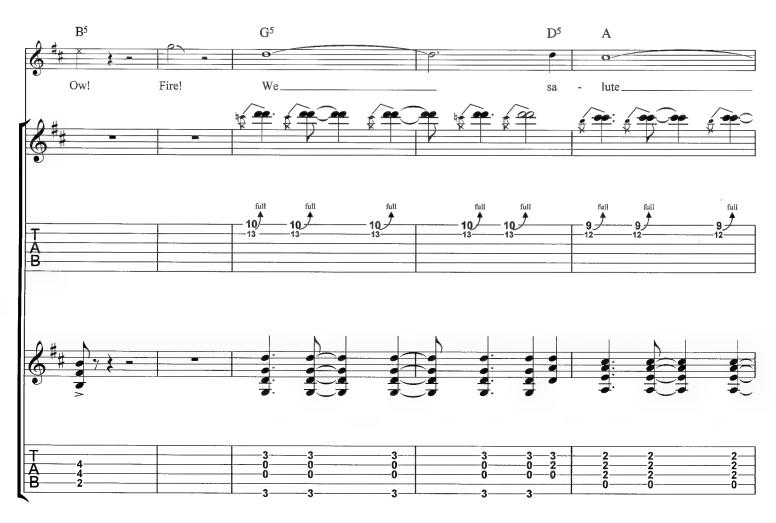




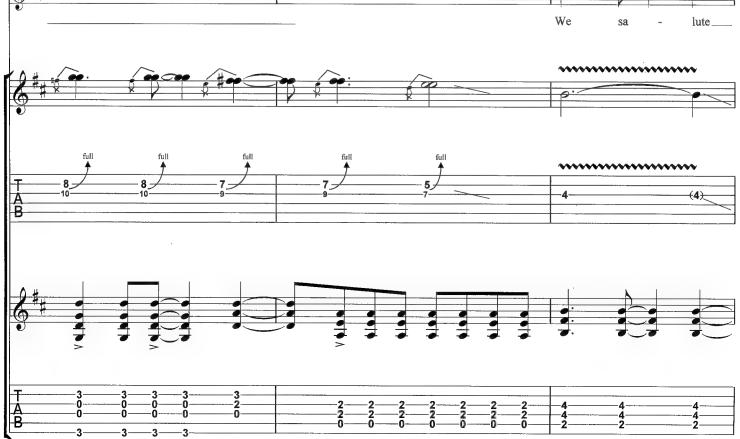




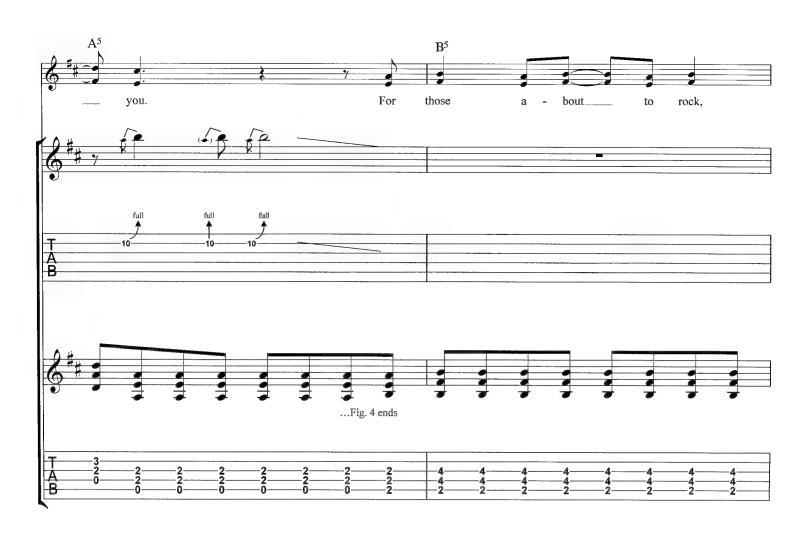


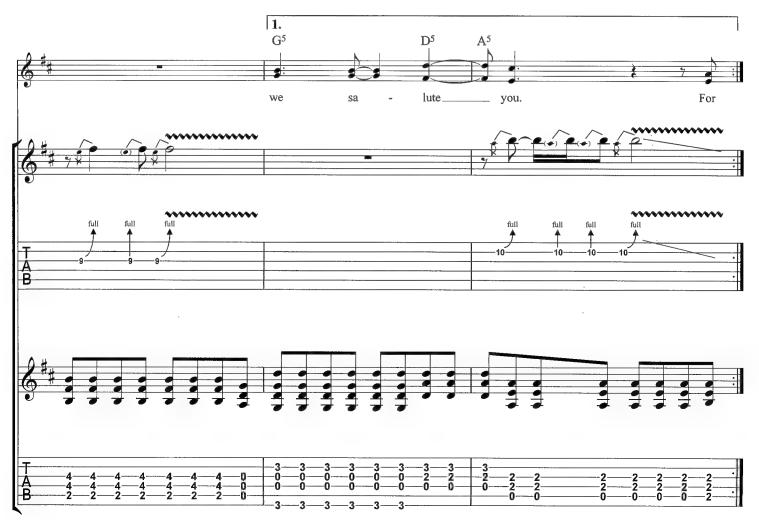


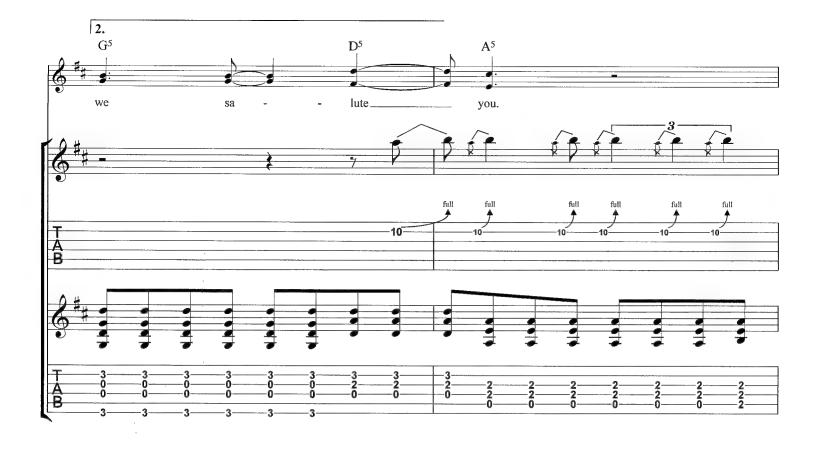


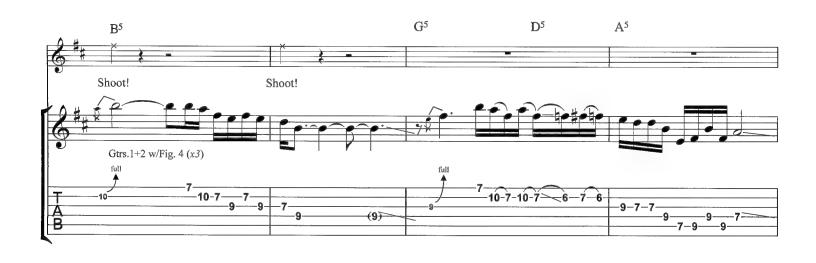


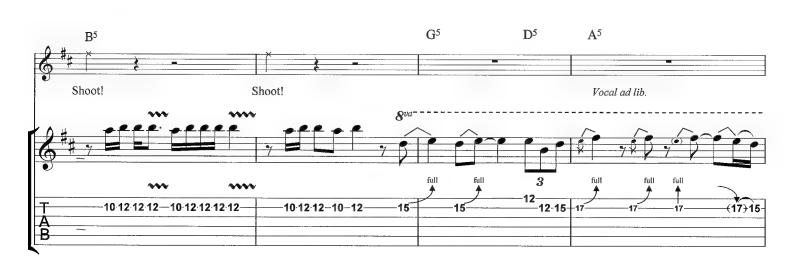


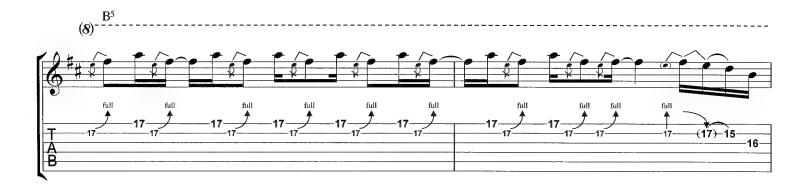


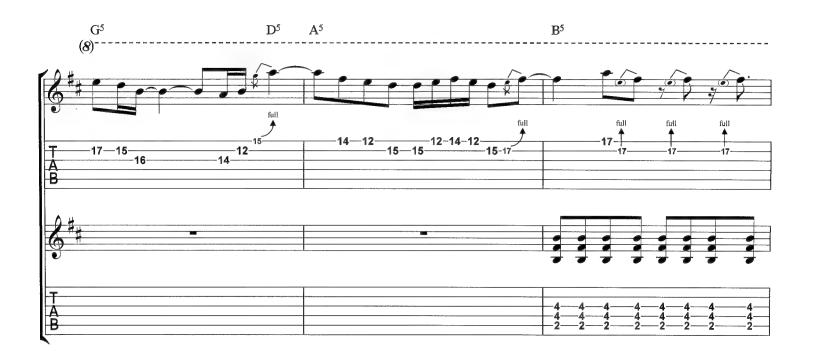


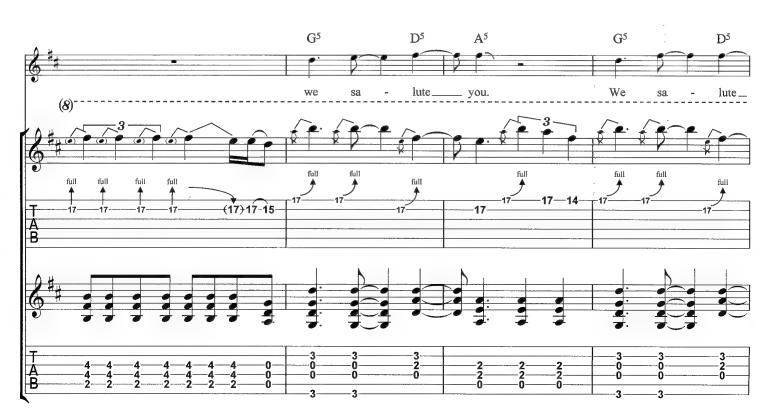


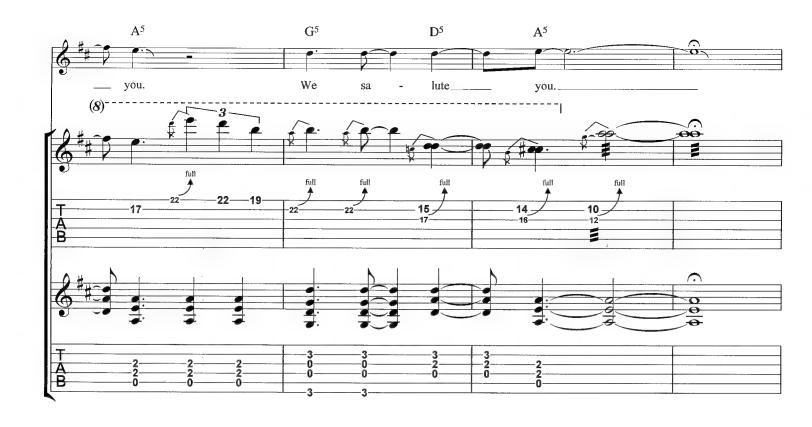


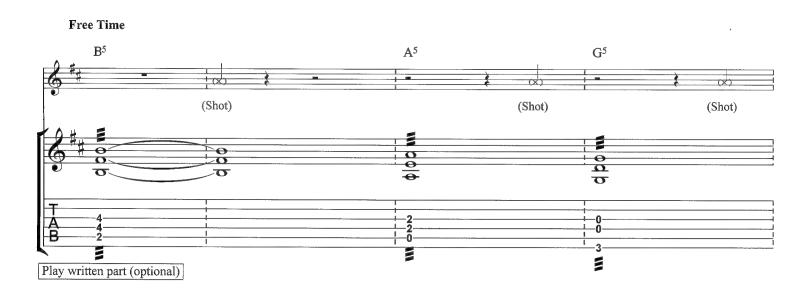


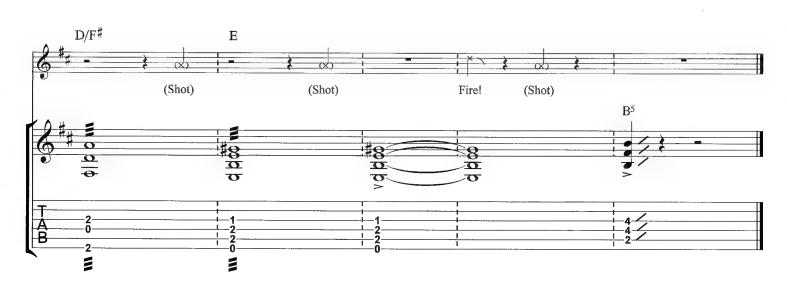












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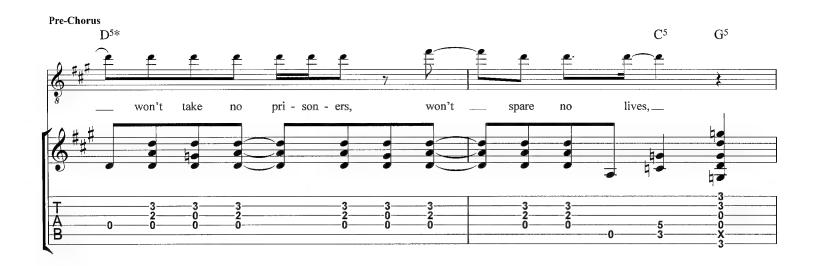
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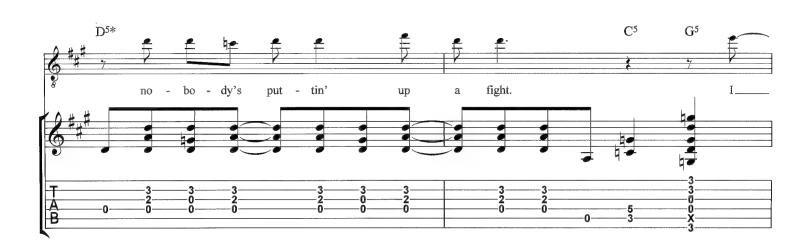
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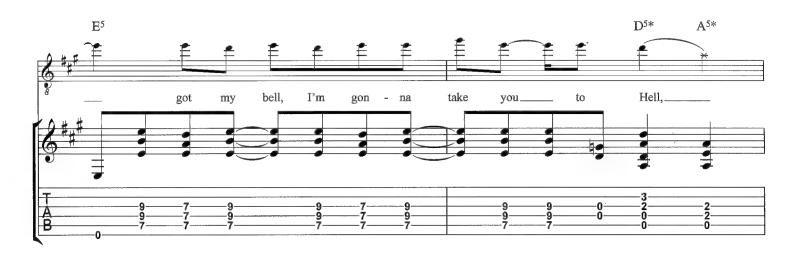
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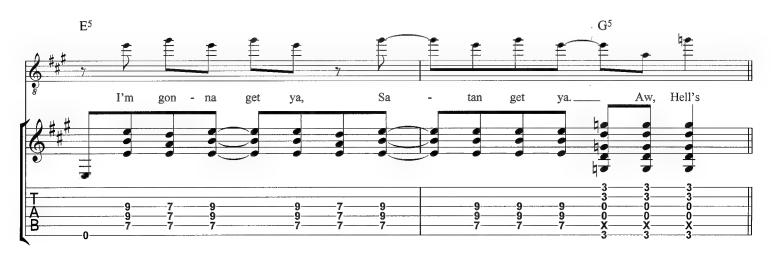


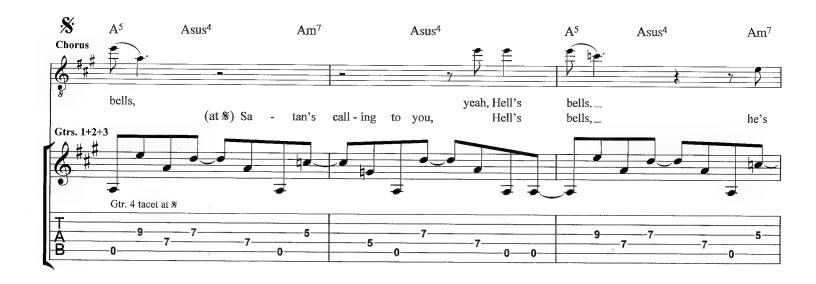


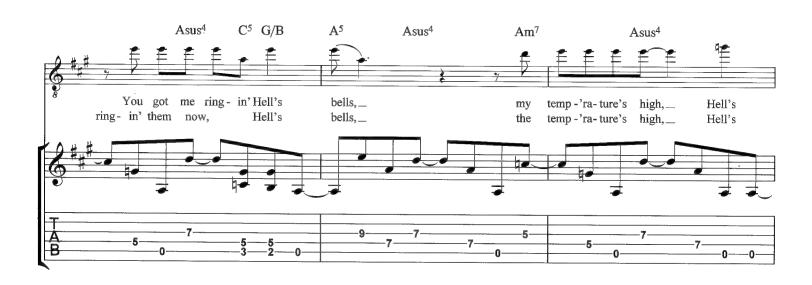


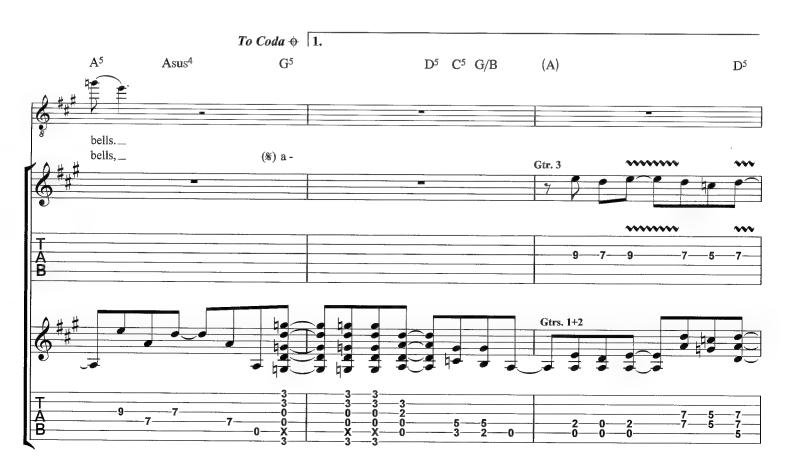


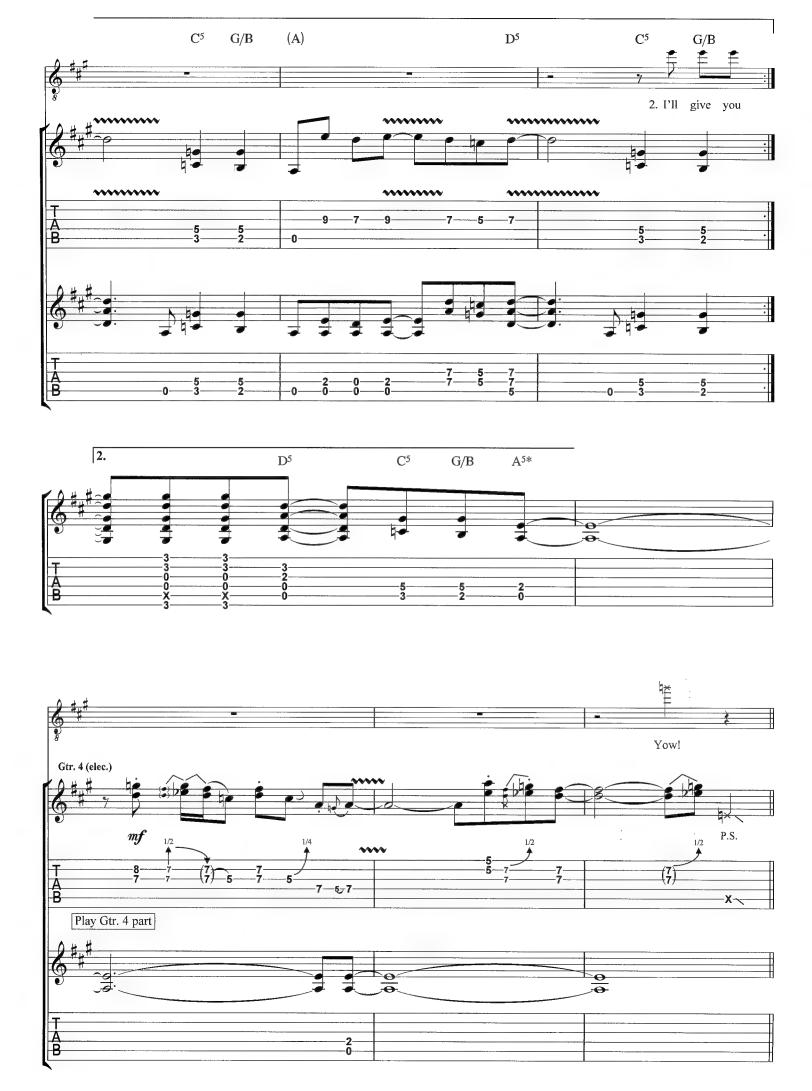


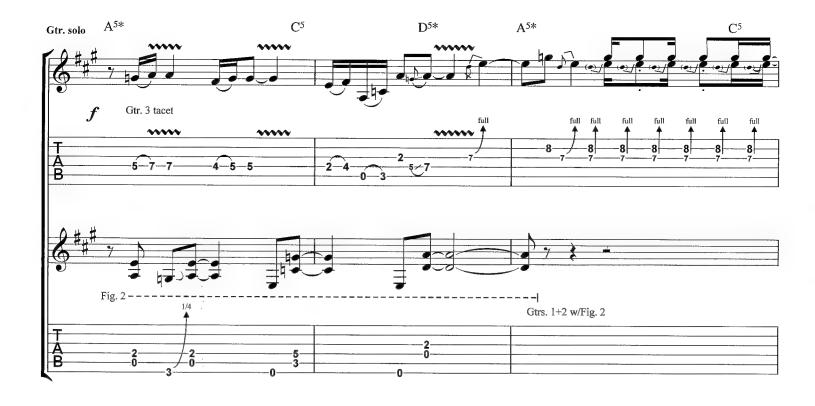


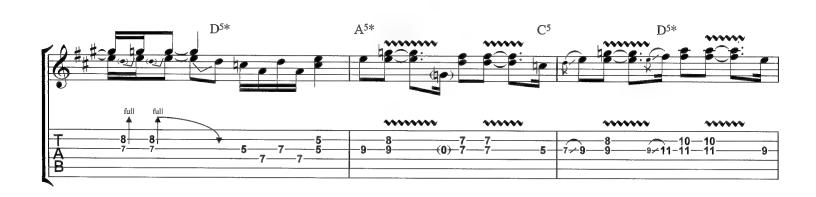


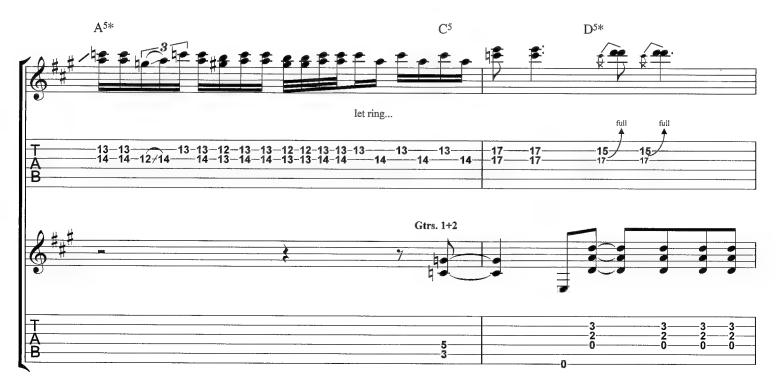


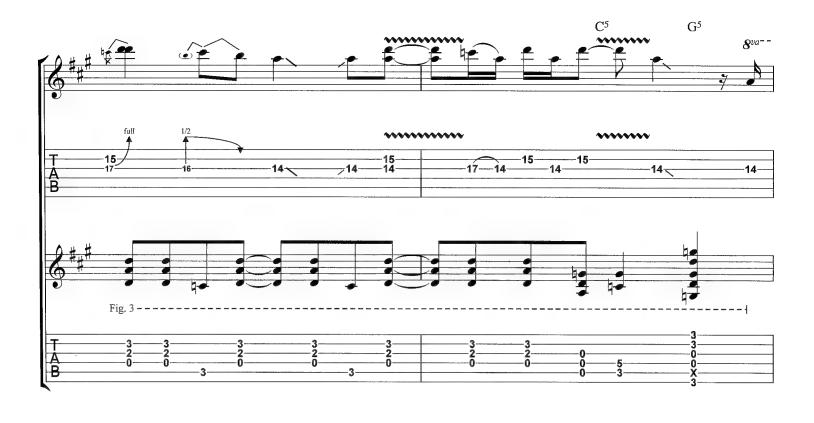


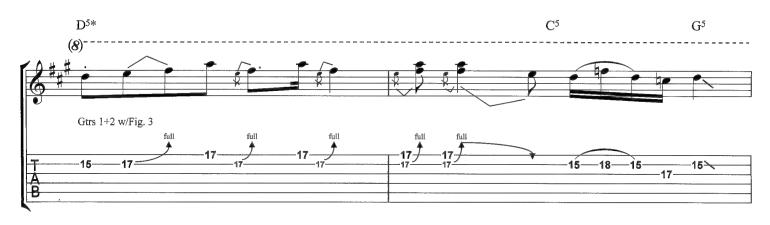




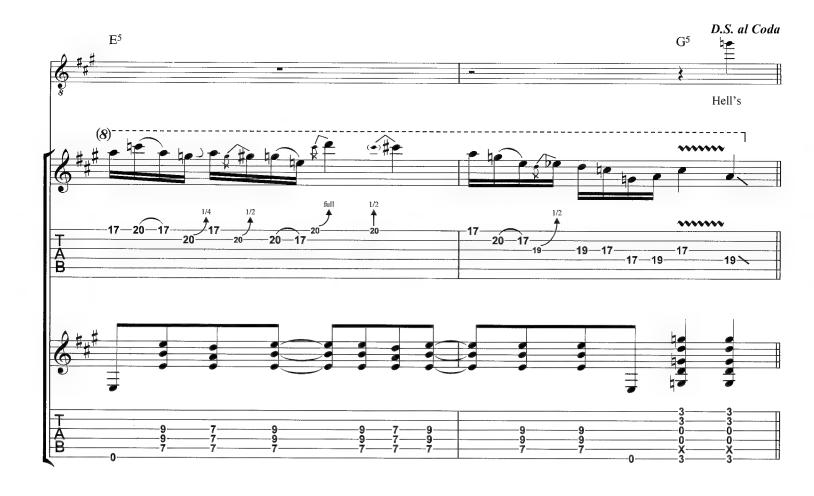


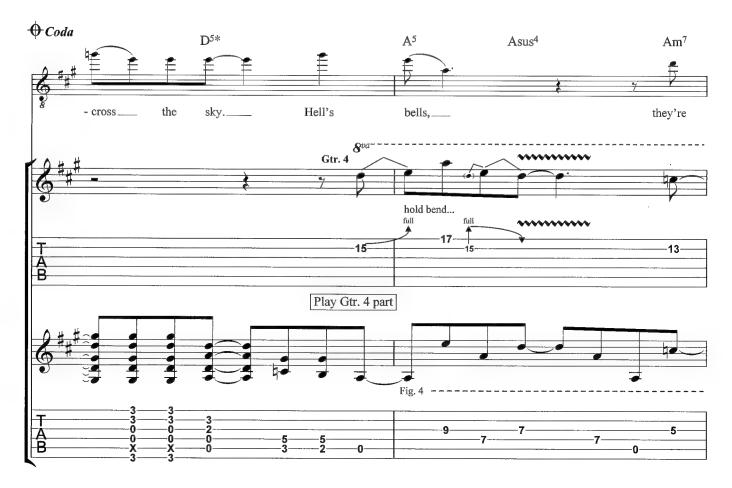


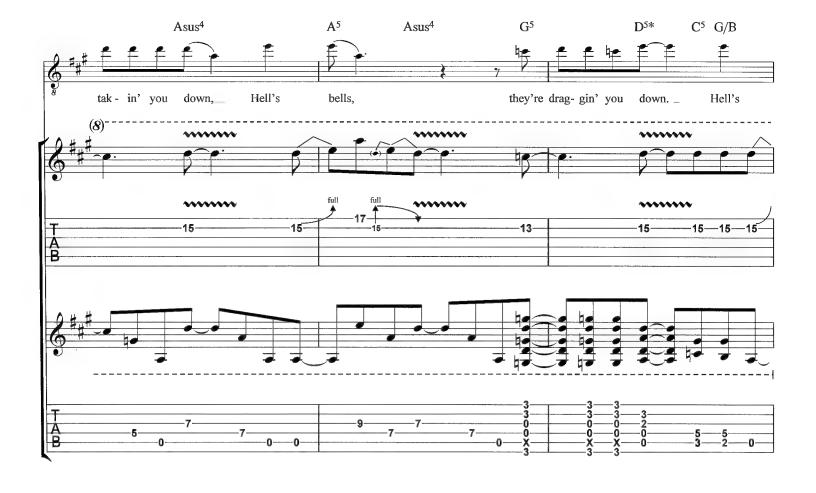


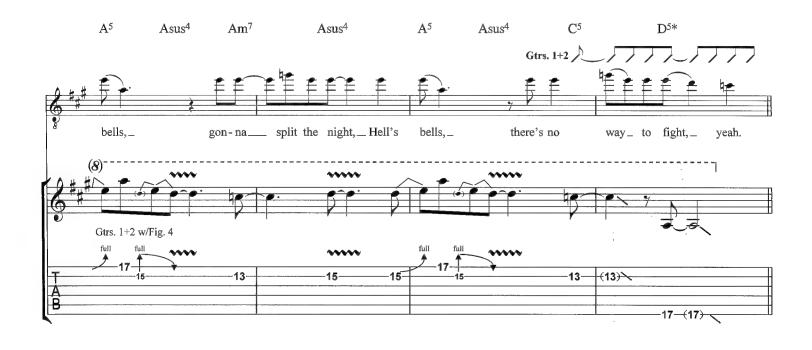


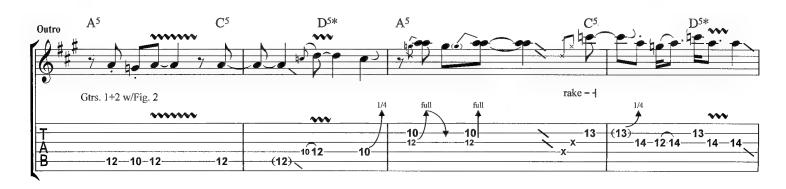


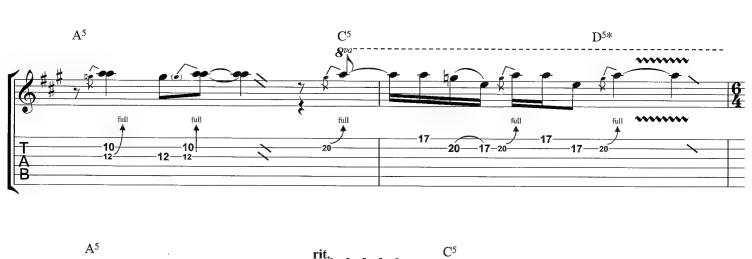


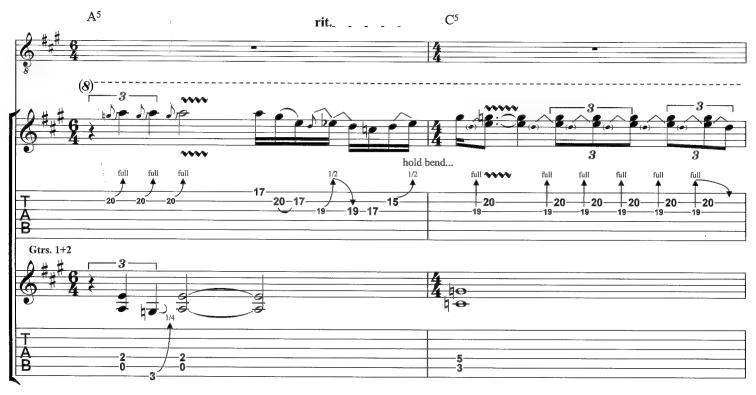


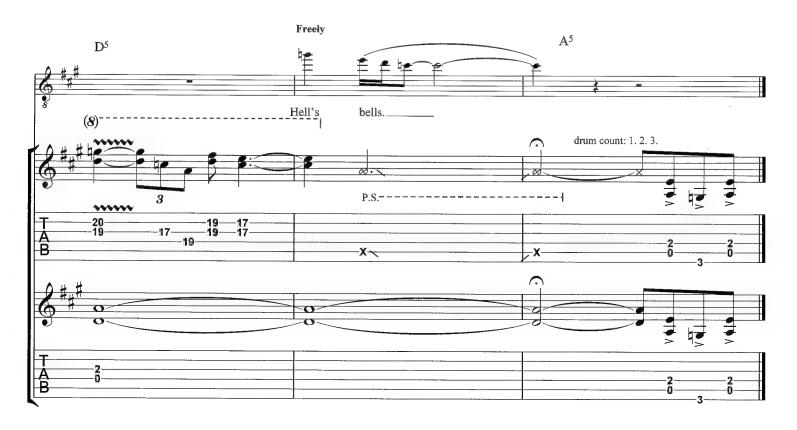










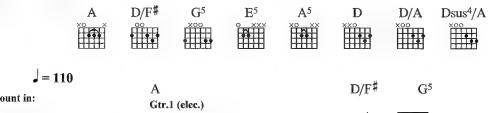


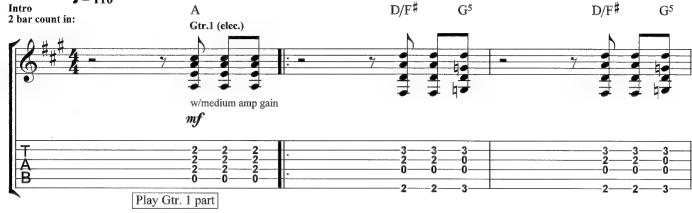
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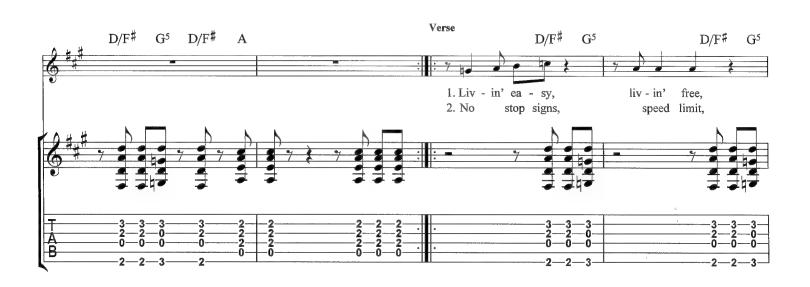
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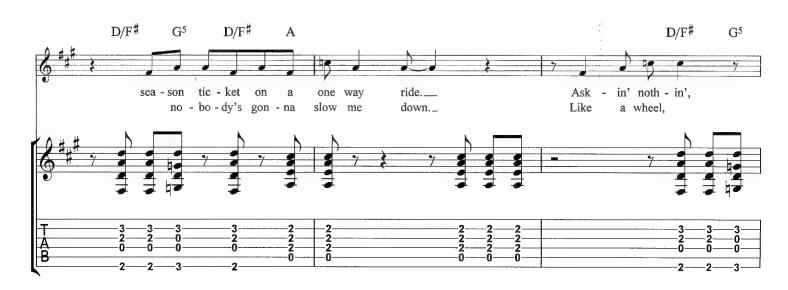
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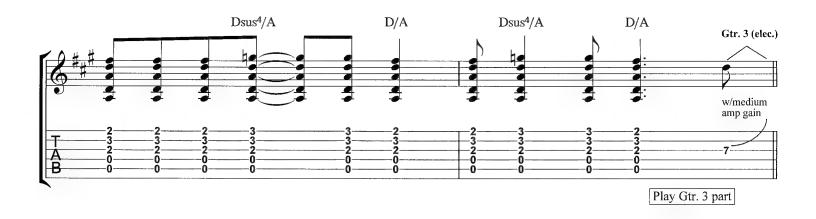


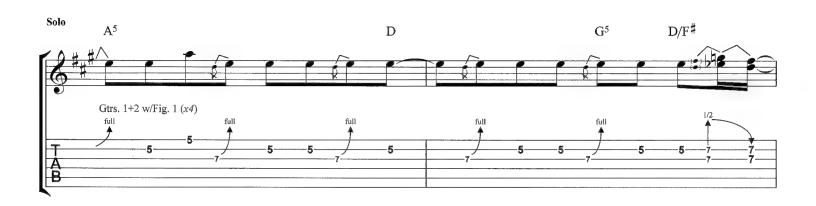


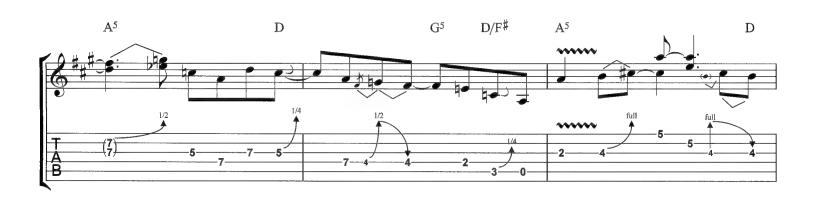


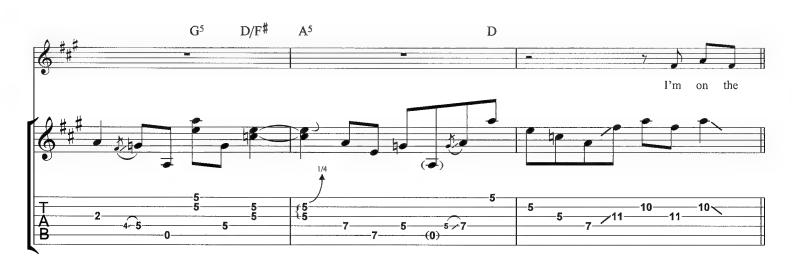


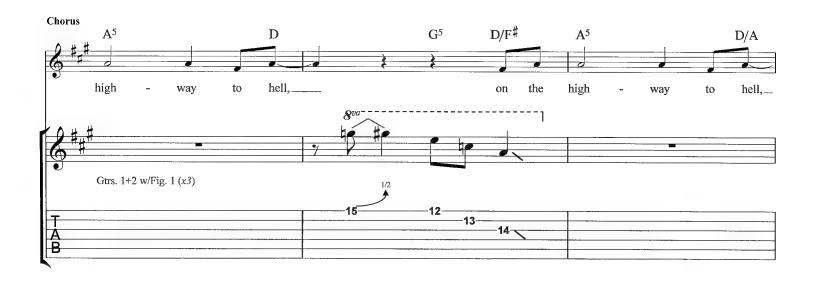


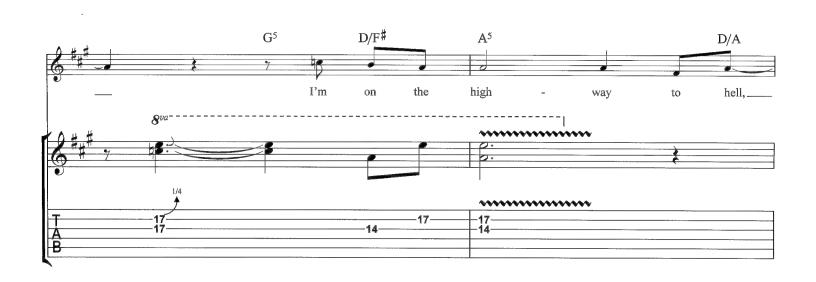


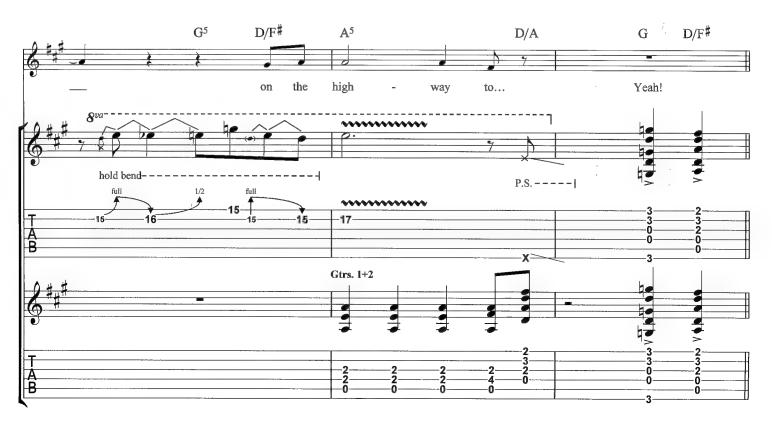


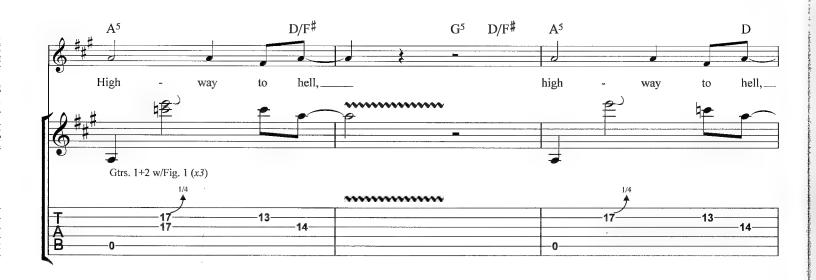


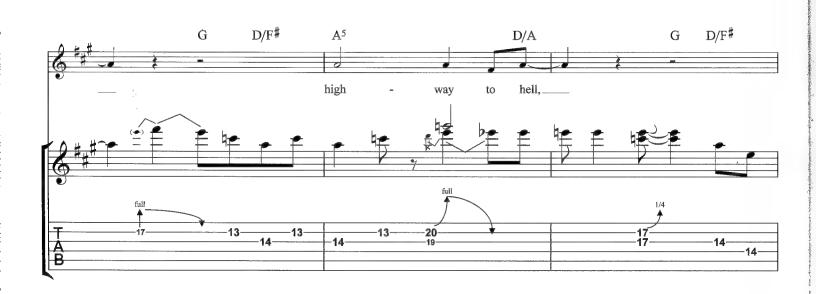


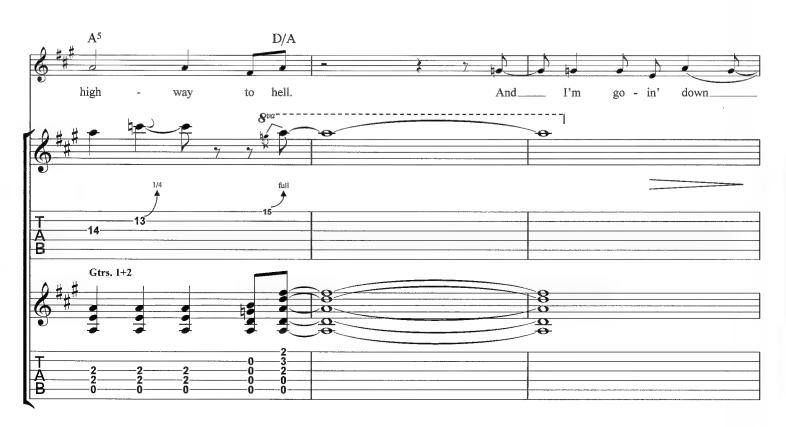


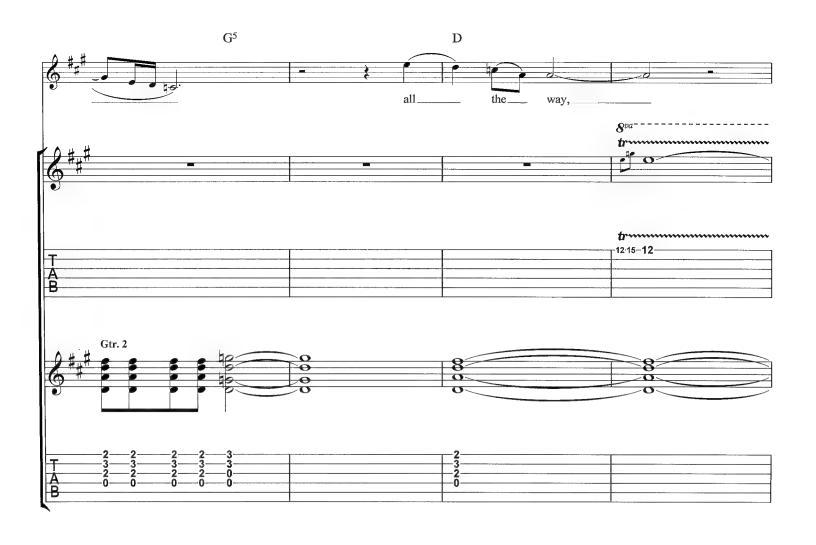


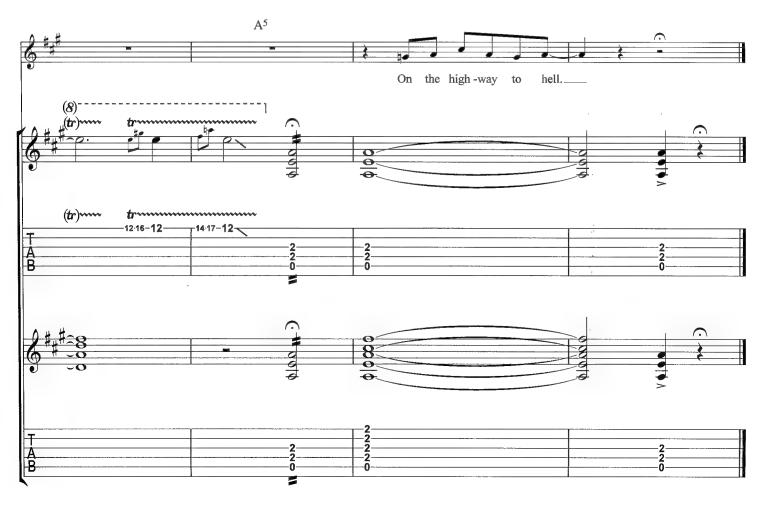












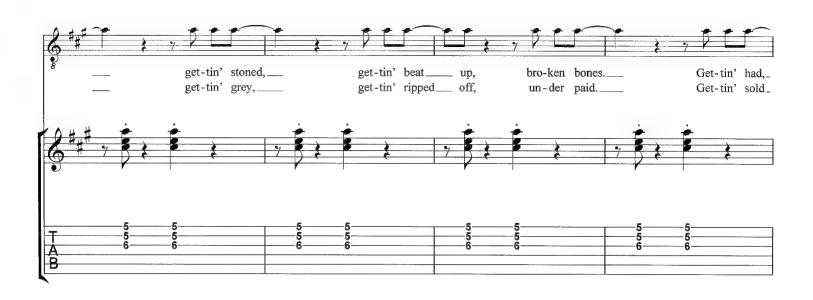
it's a long way to the top (if you wanna rock 'n' roll)

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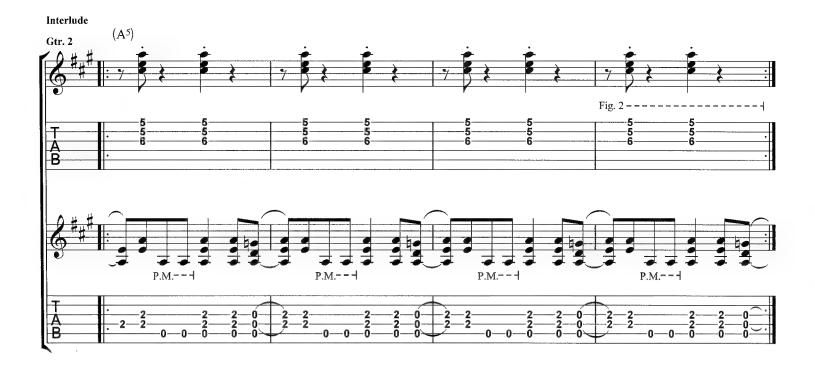


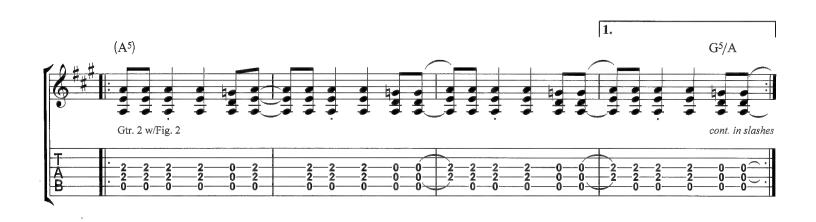


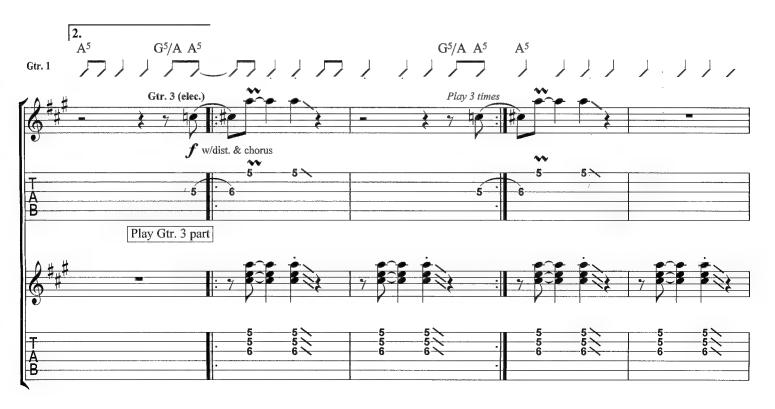










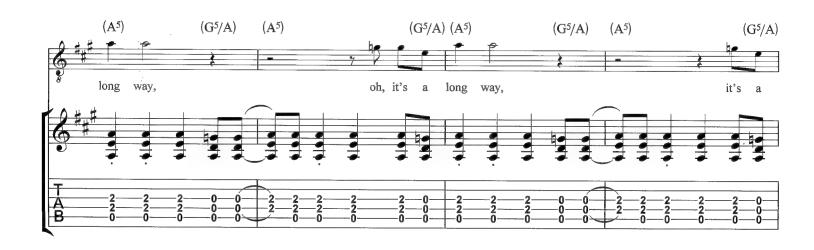


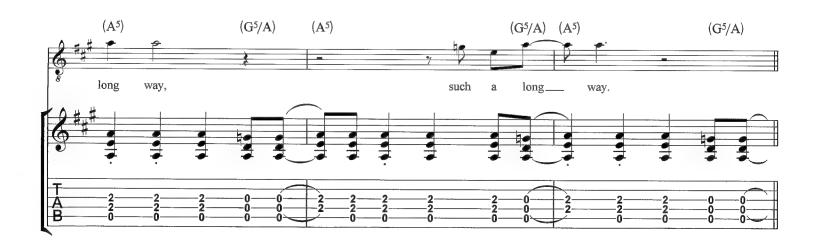


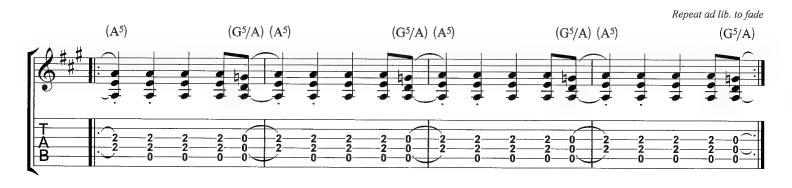






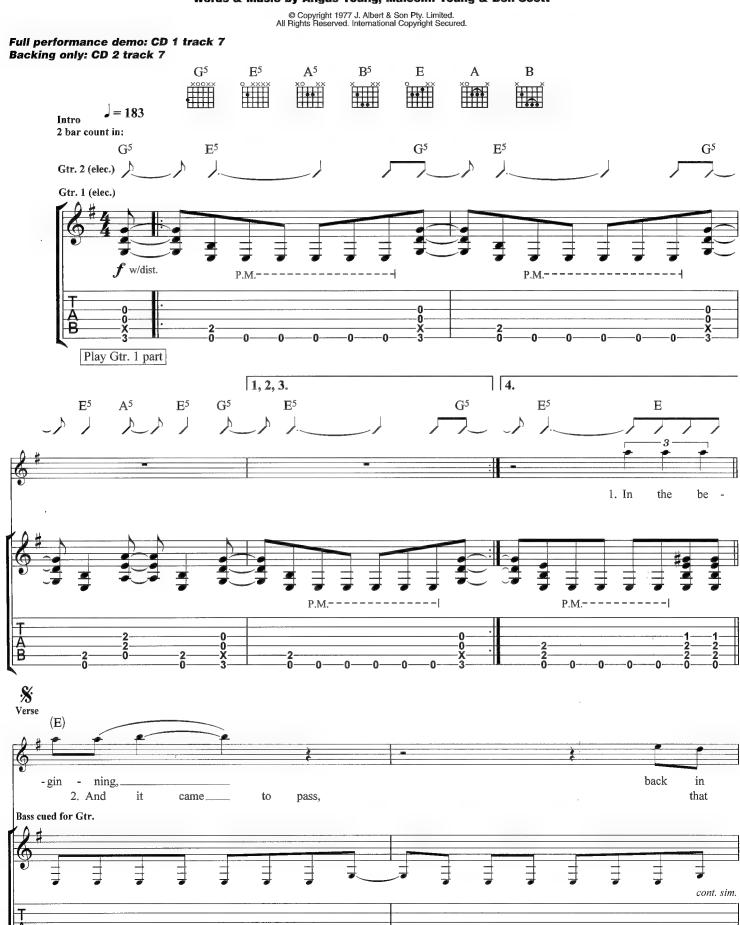




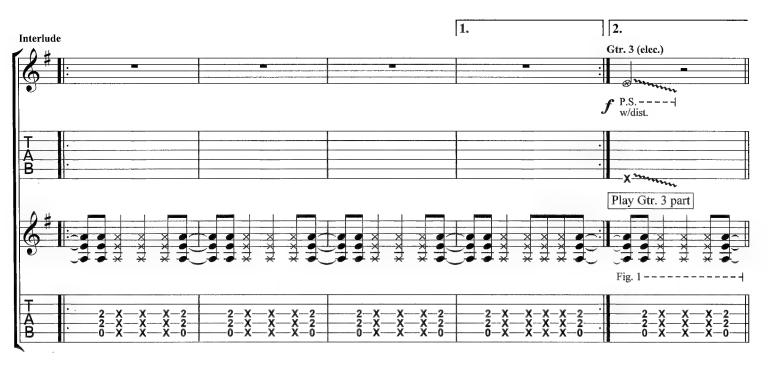


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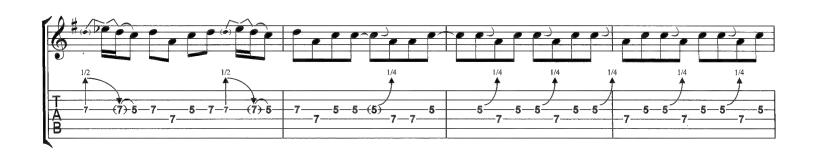
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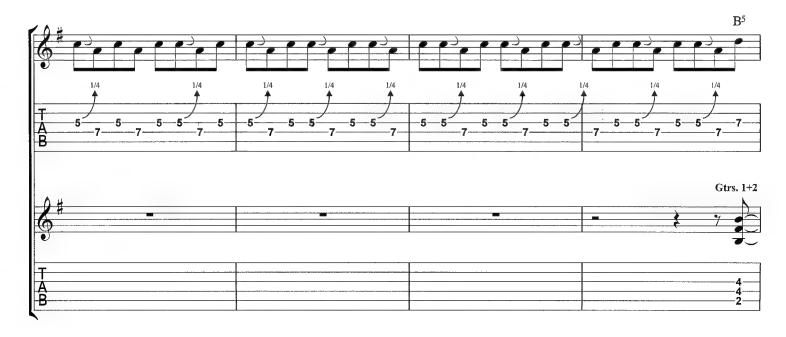




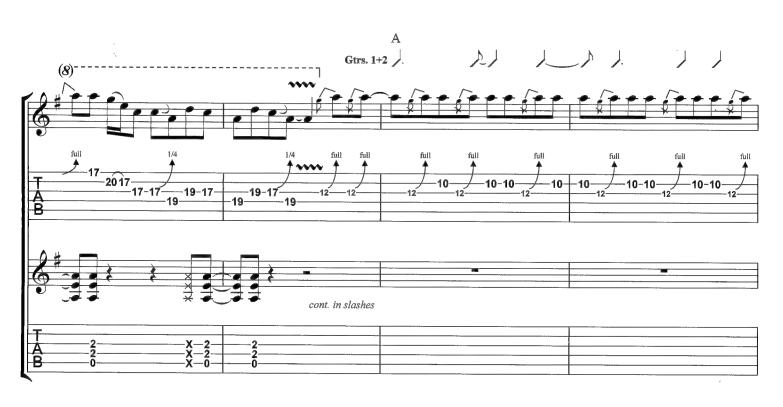


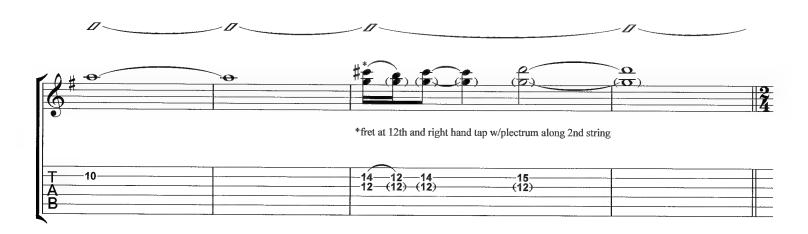


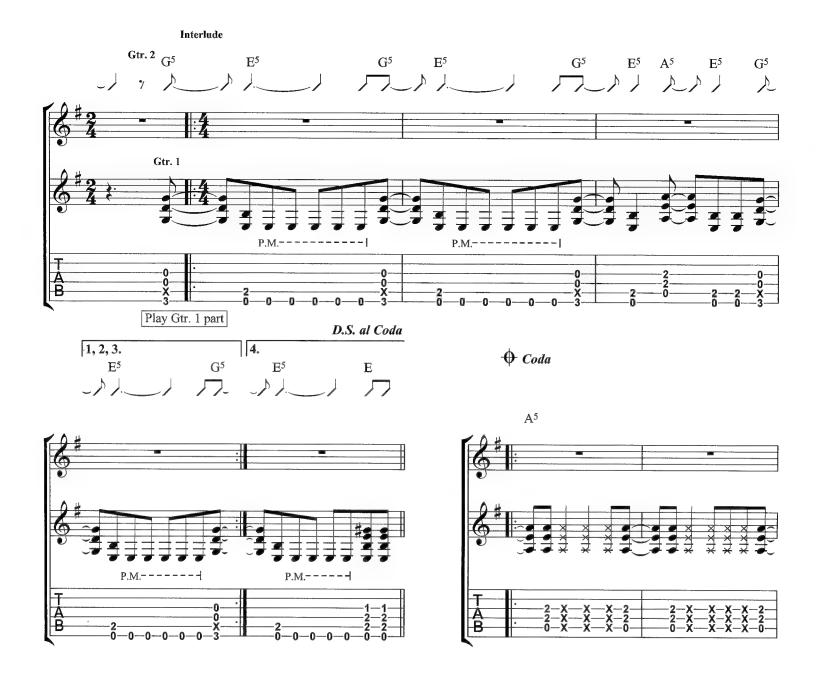


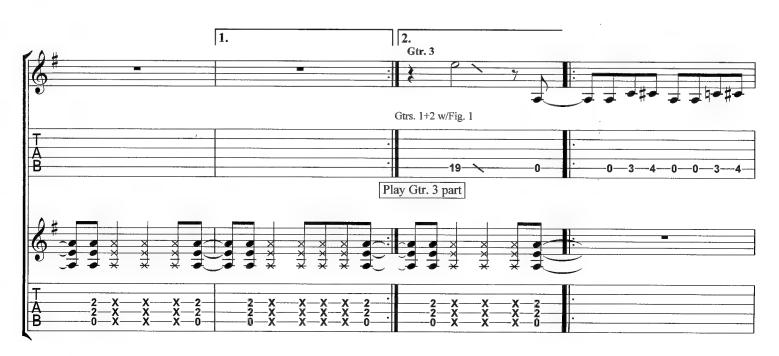


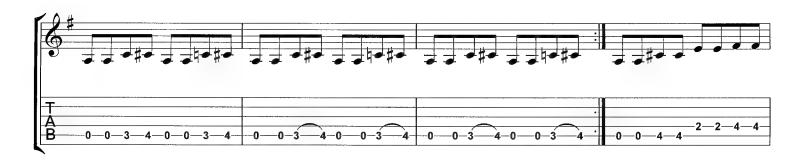


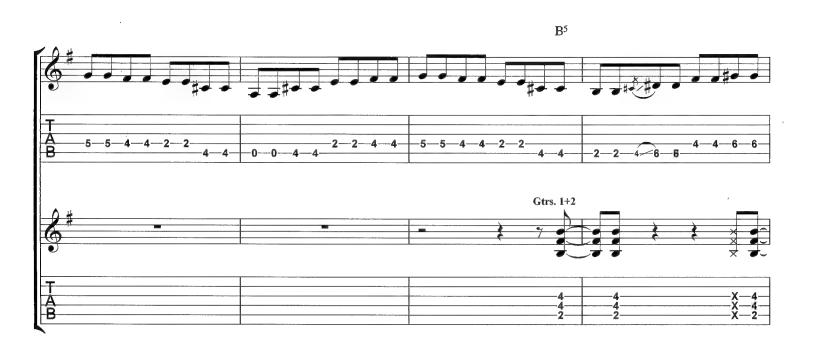








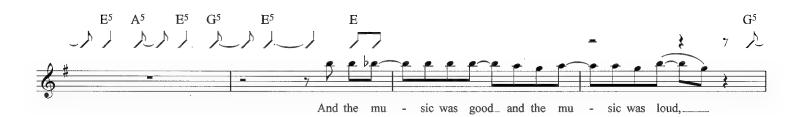


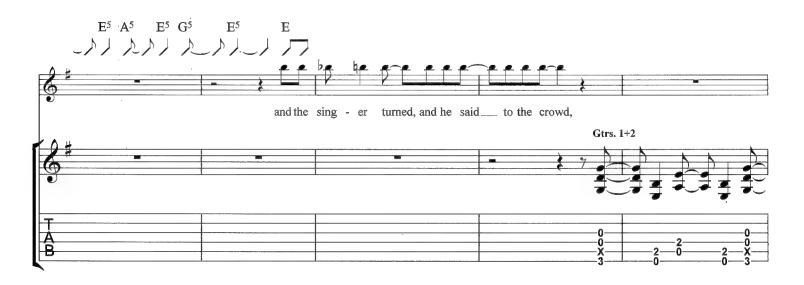


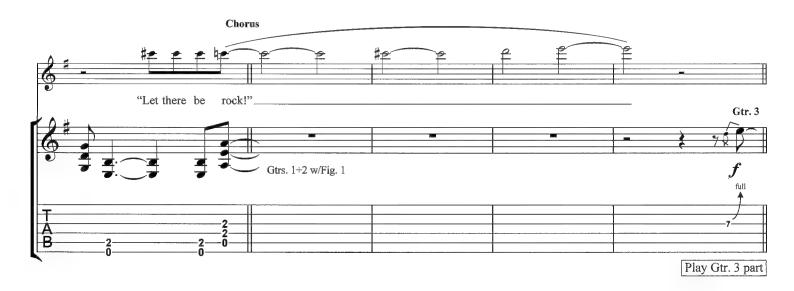


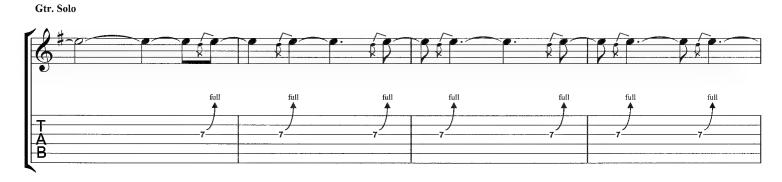


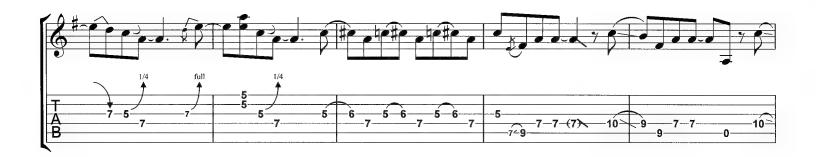


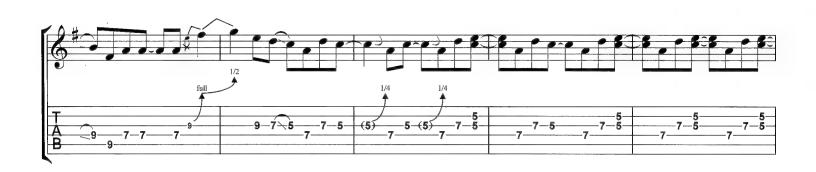




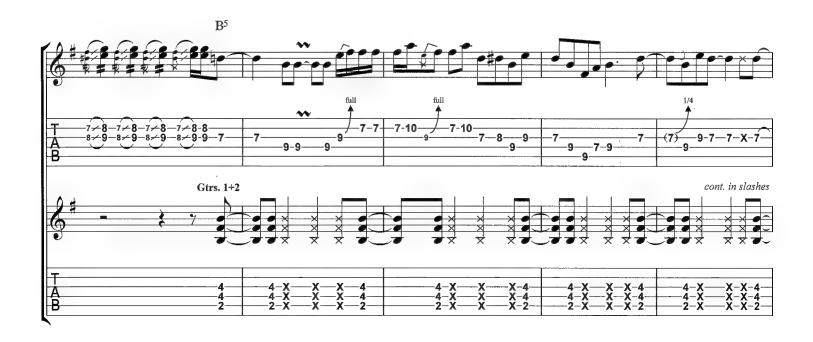


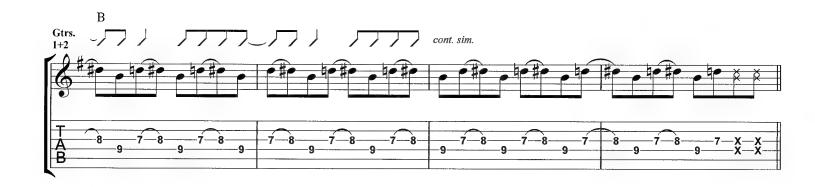


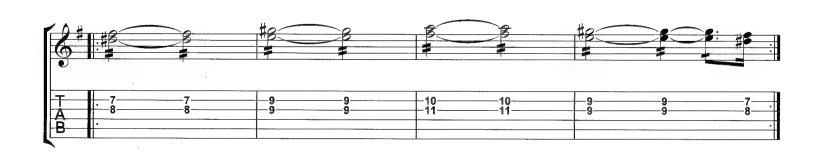














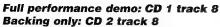






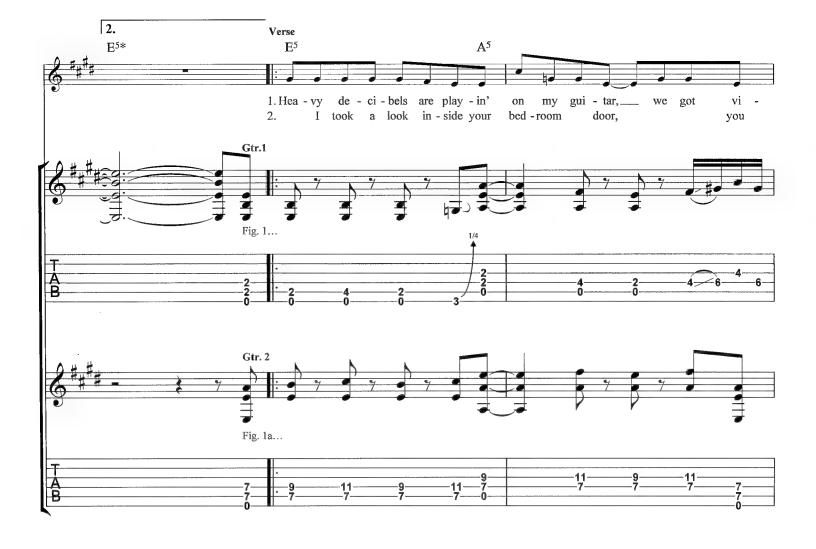
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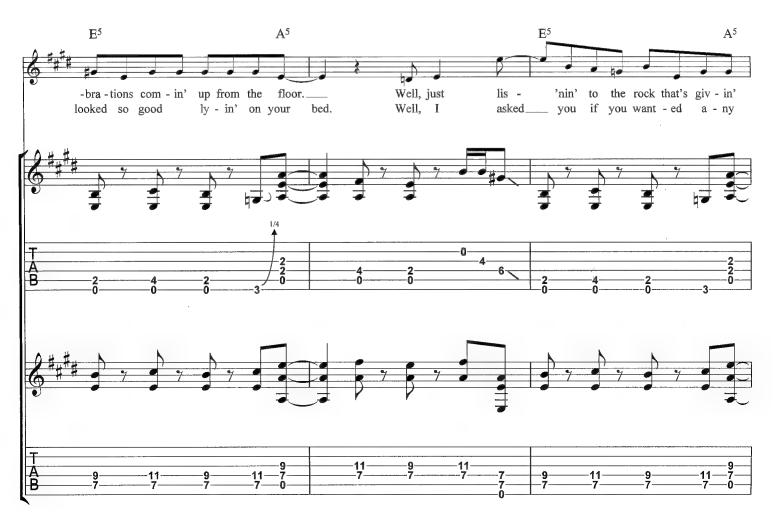
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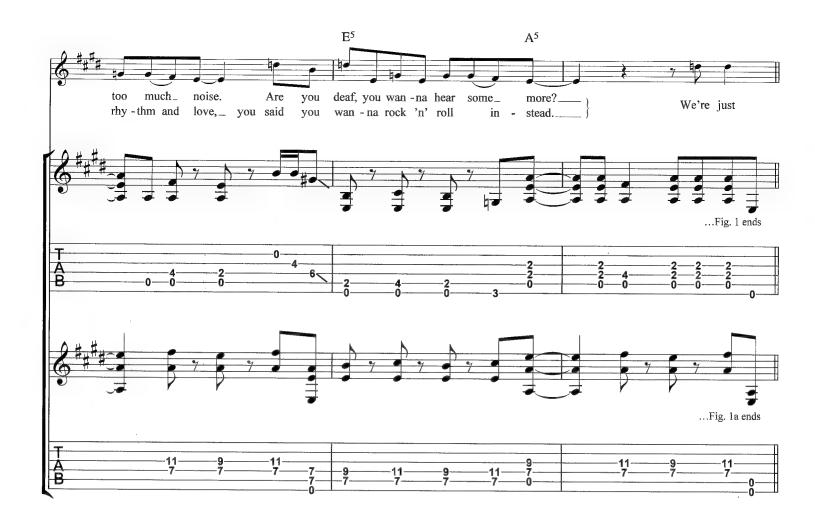


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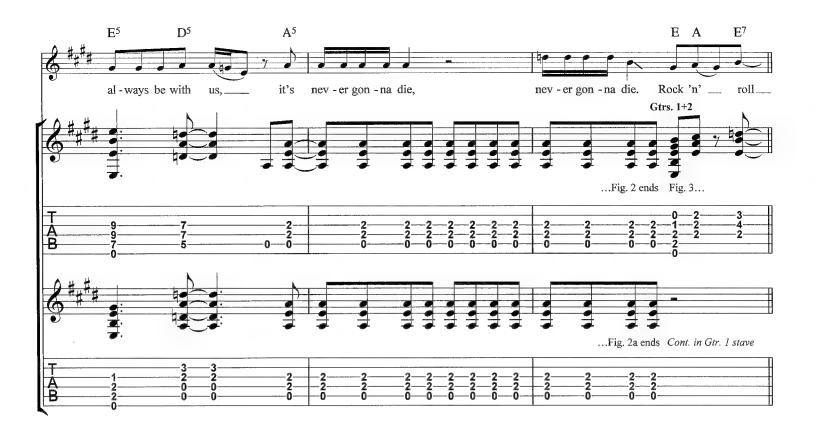


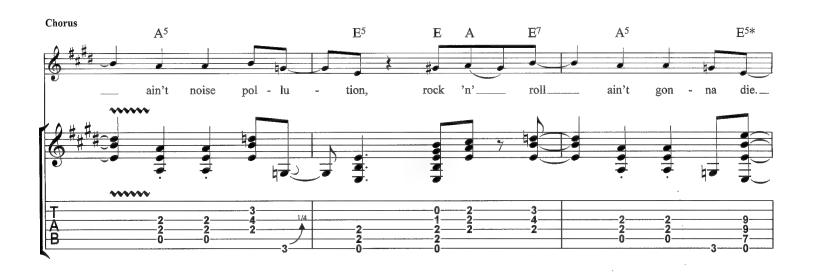


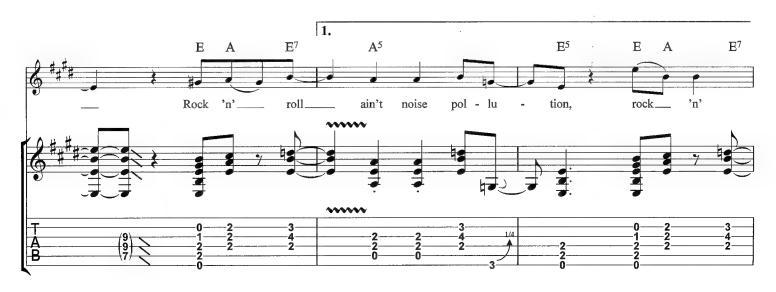


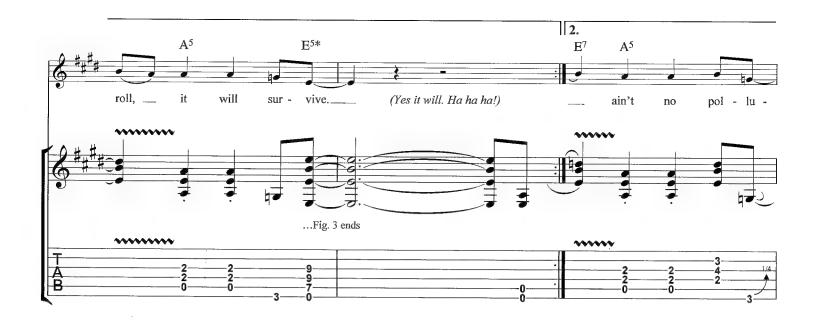


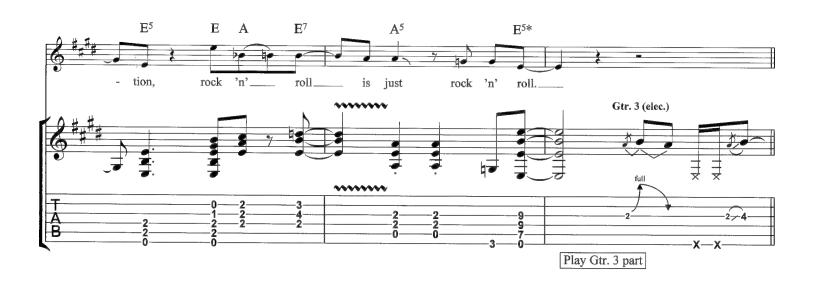




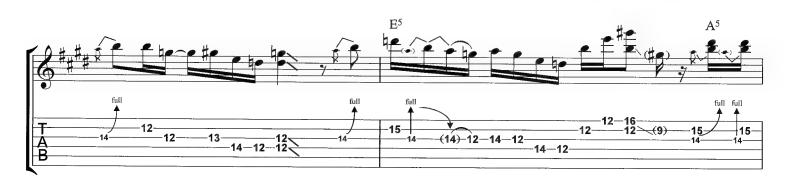




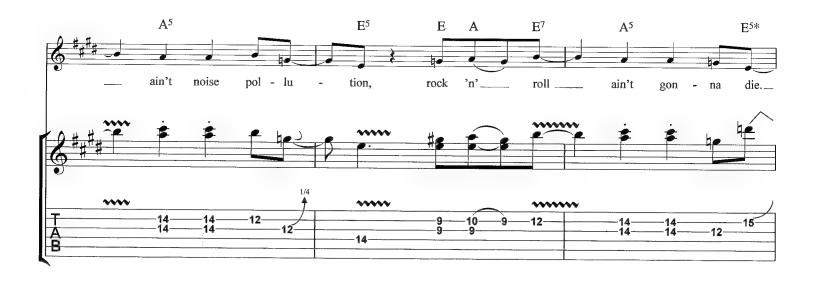


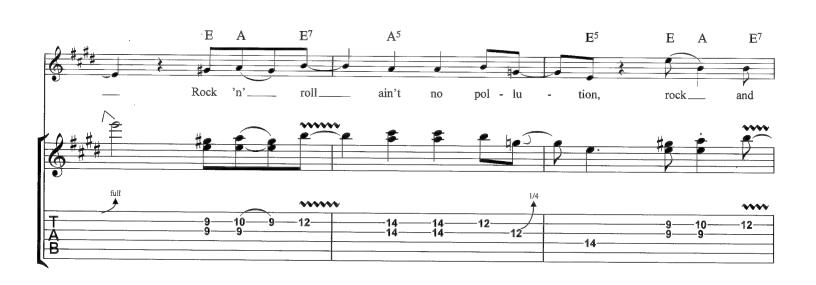


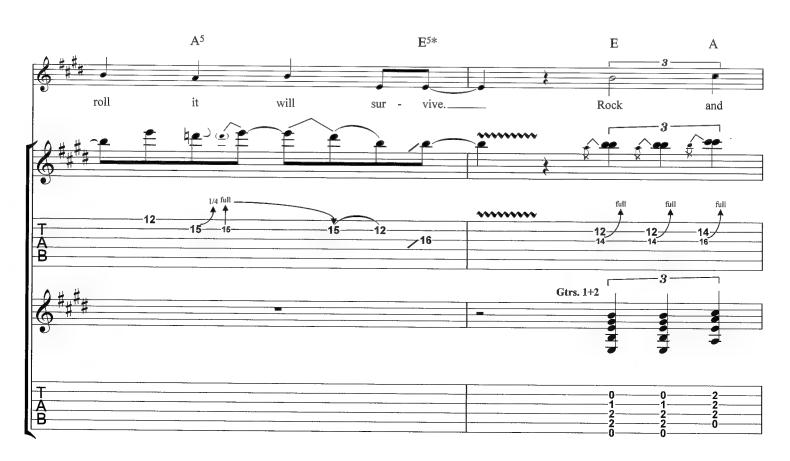


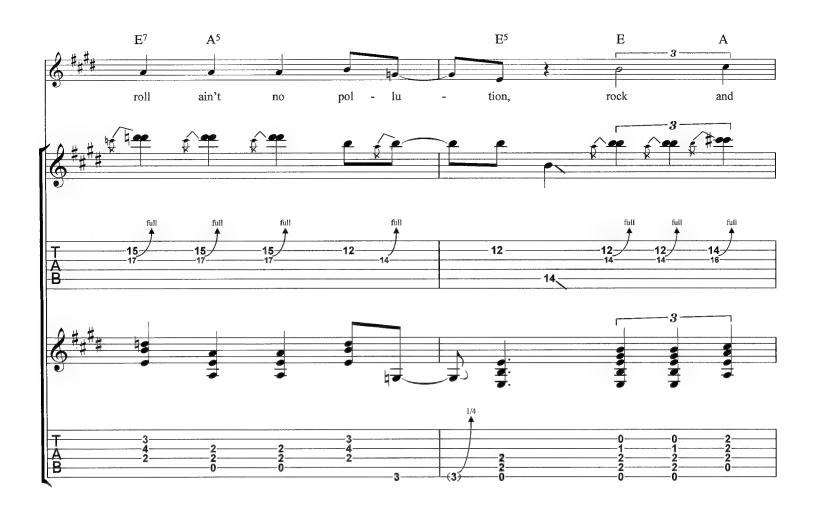


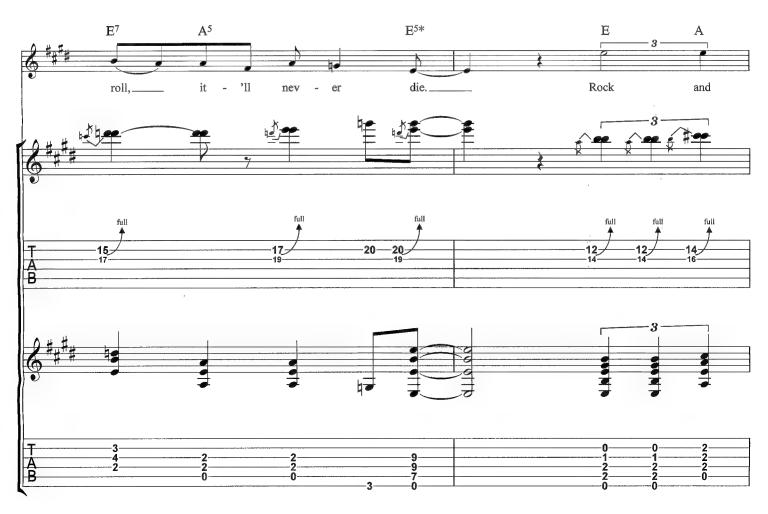
















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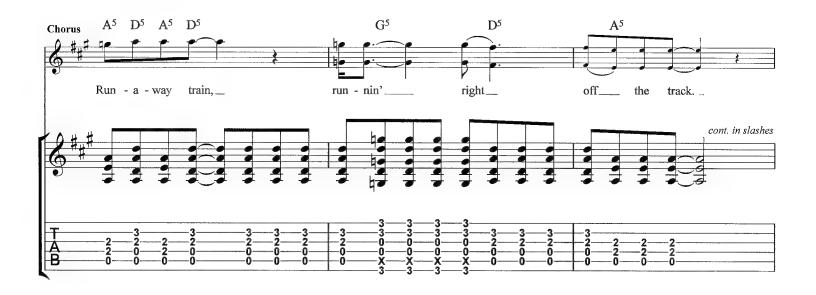
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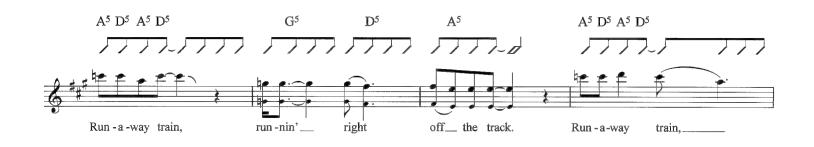
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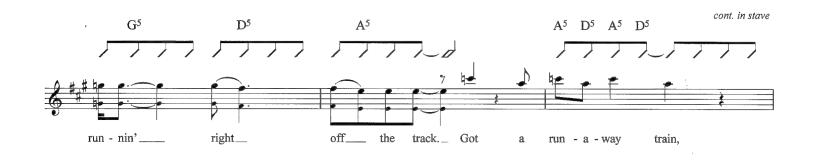
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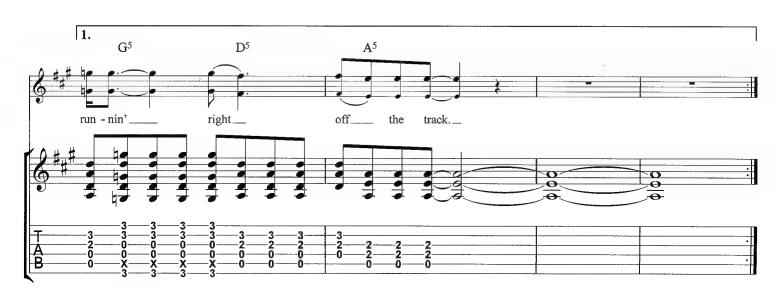






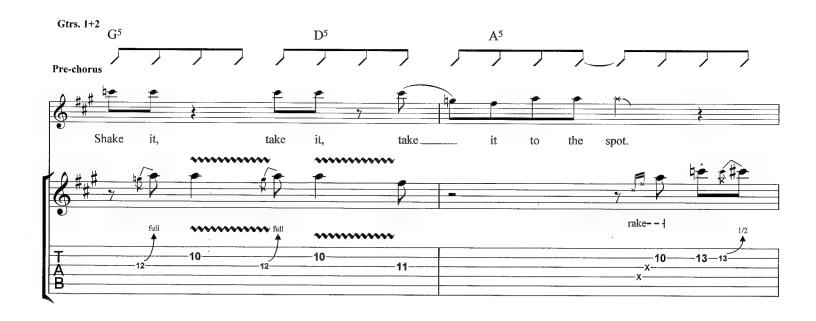


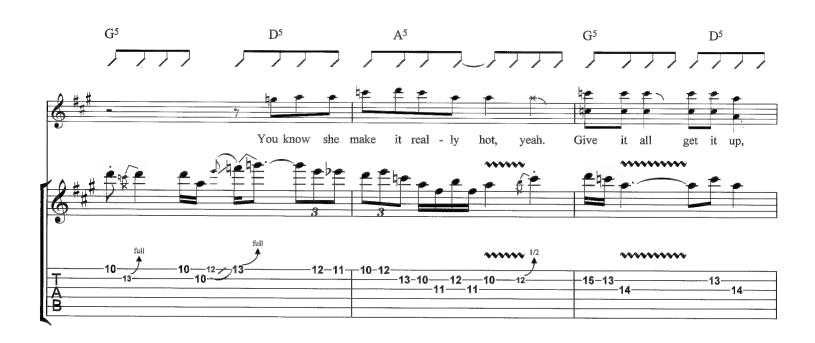


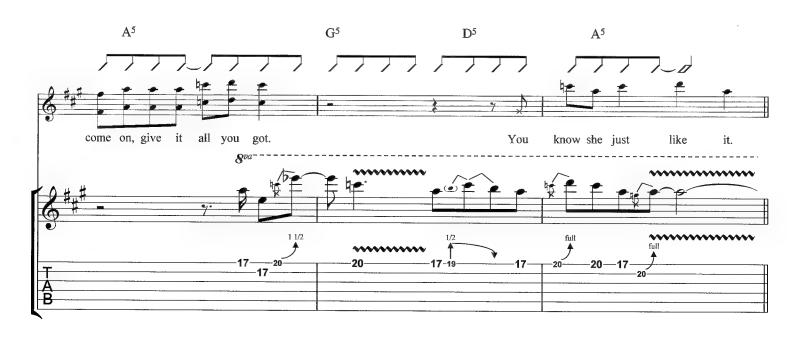


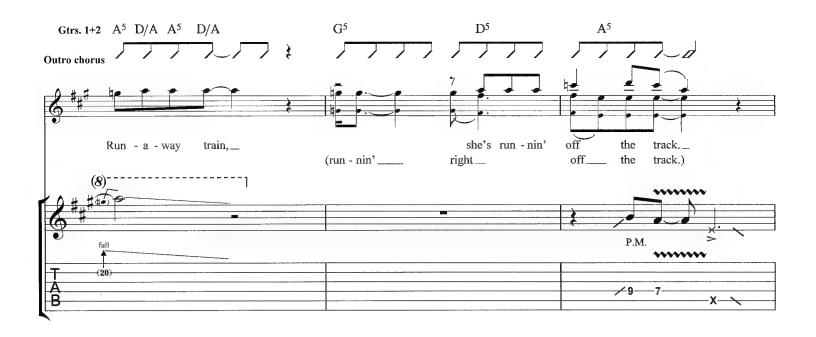


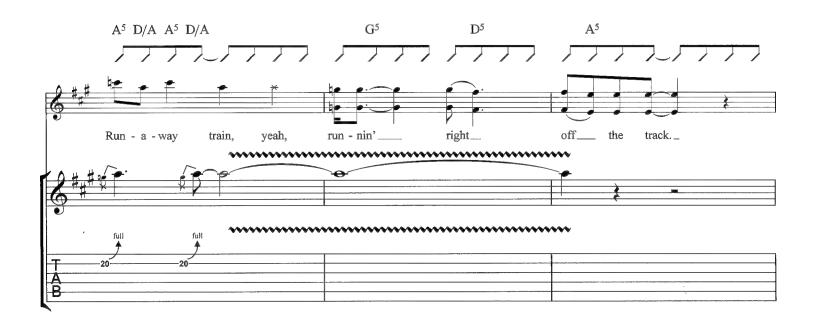


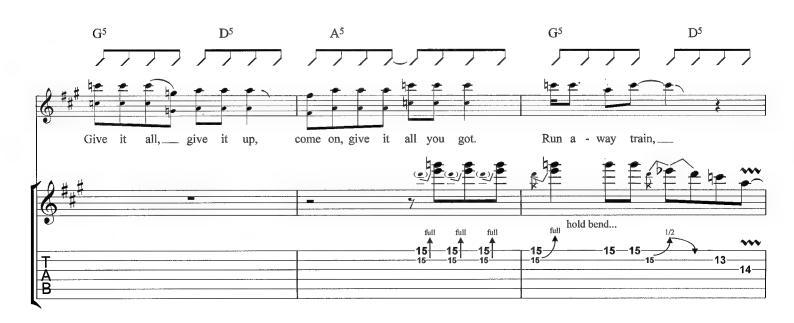












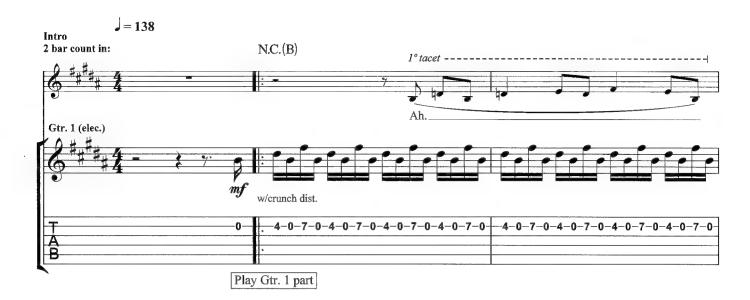


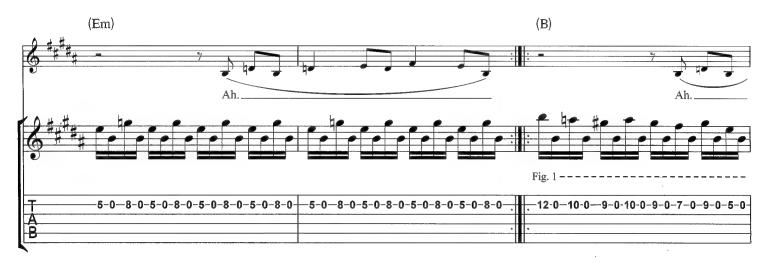
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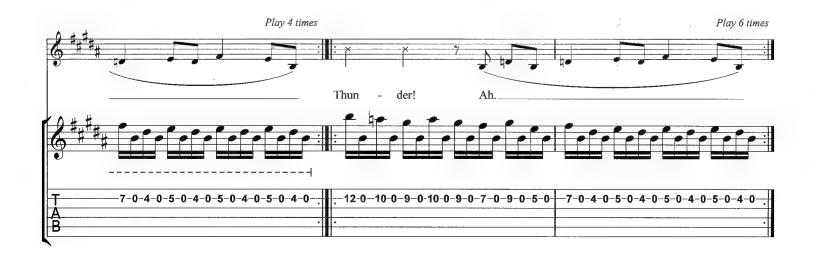
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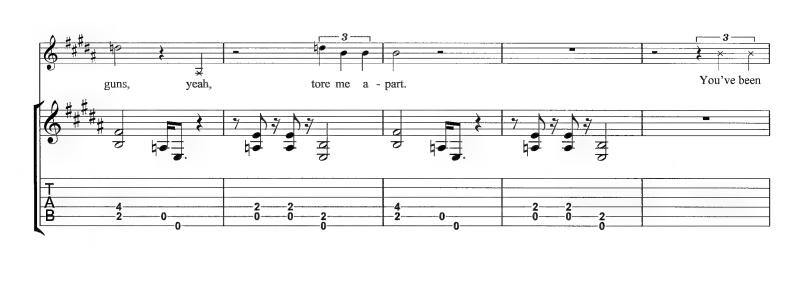
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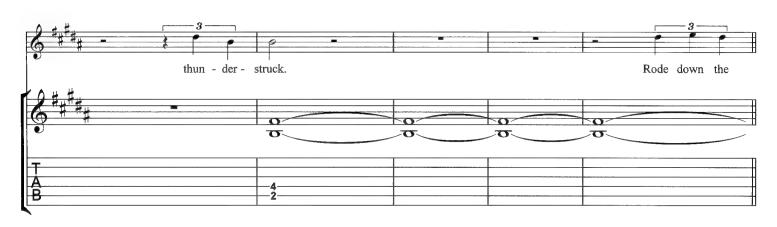


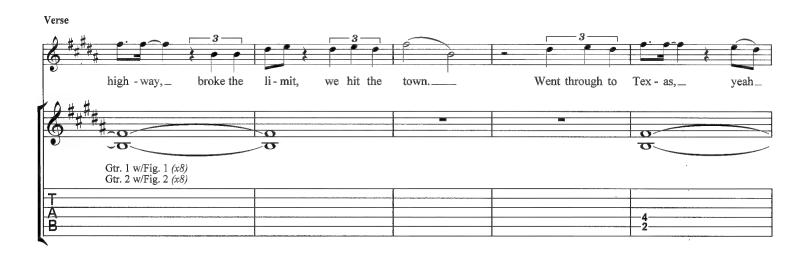


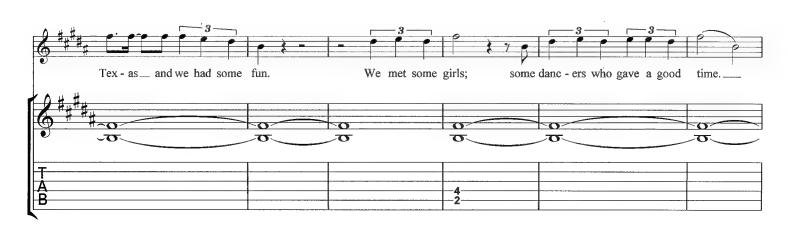


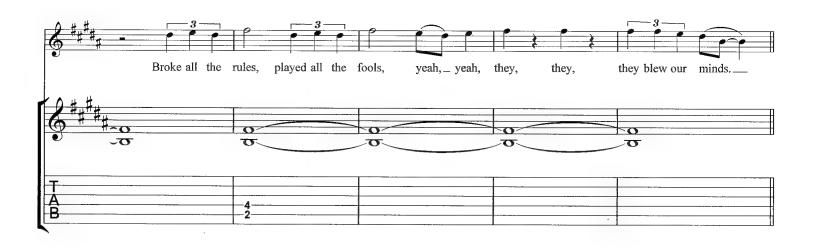


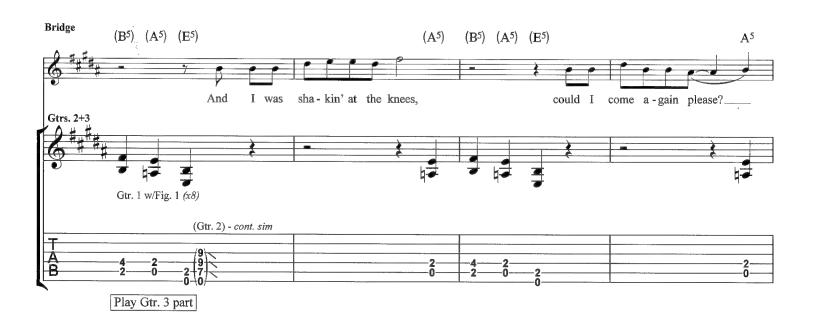


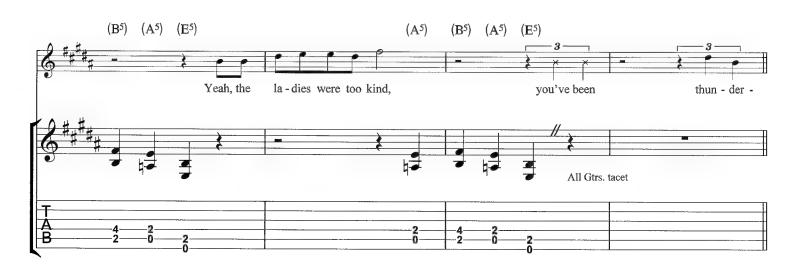


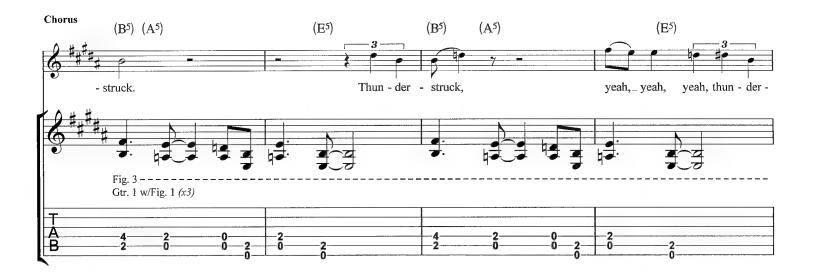


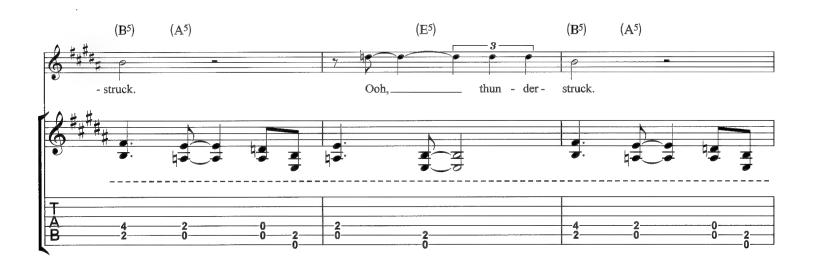


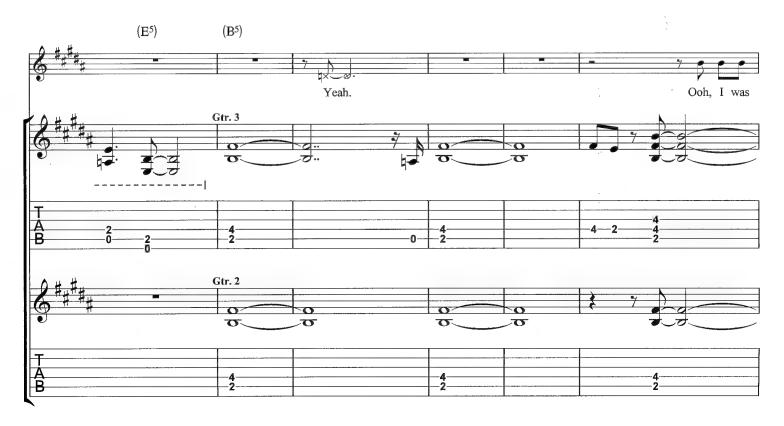


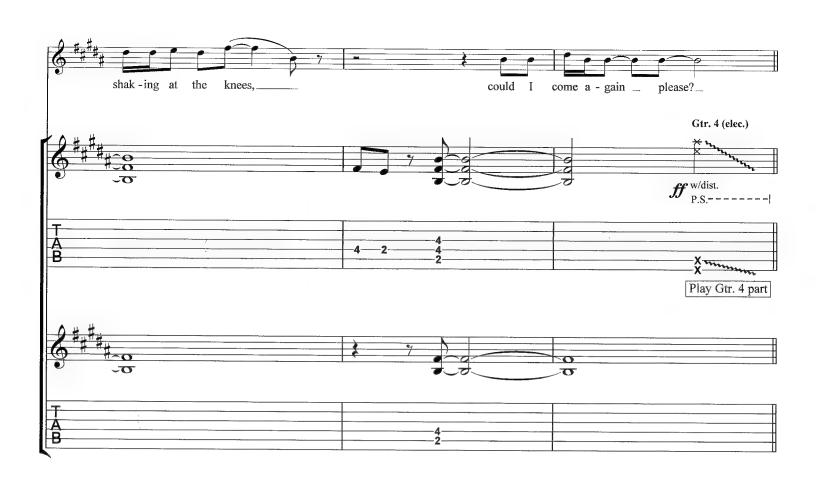


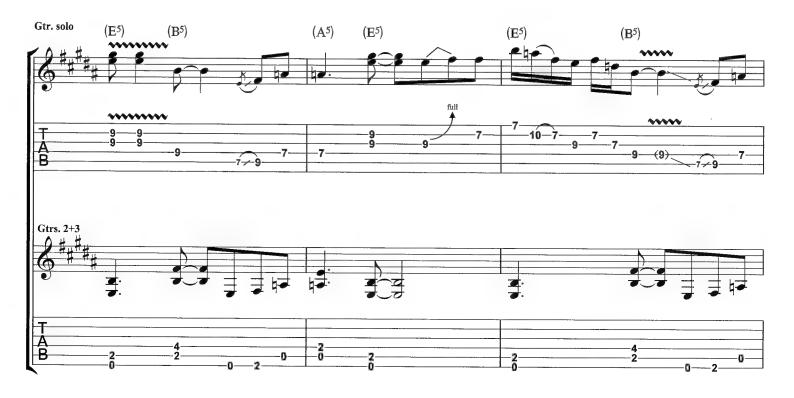






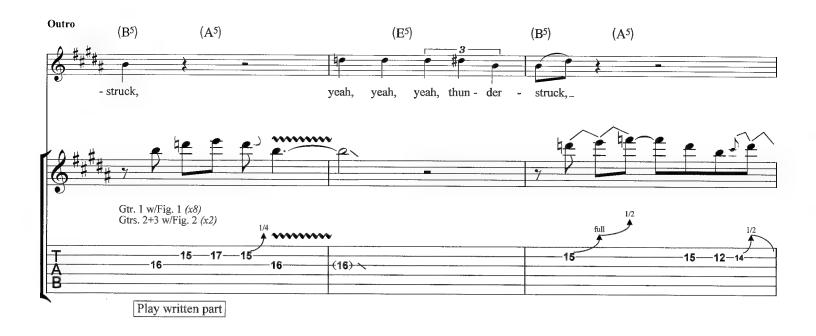


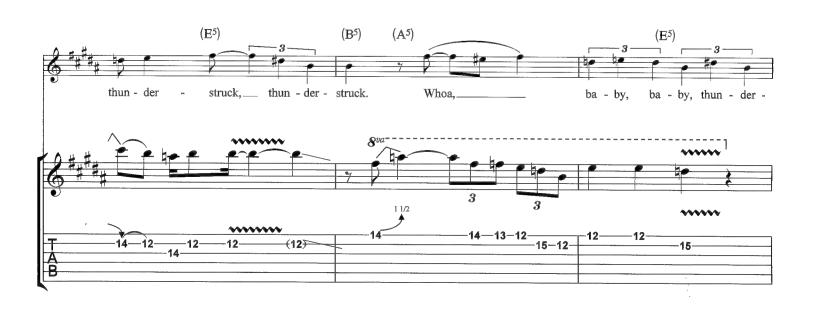


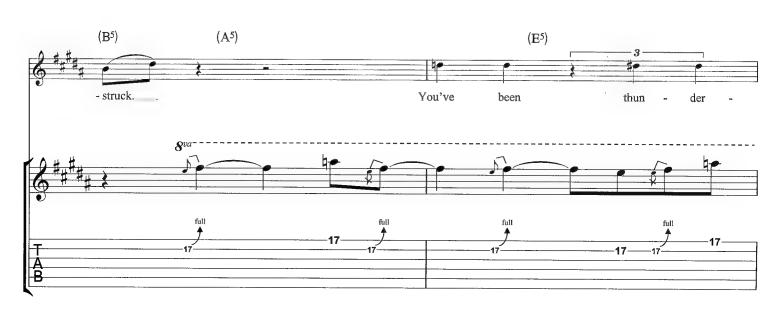


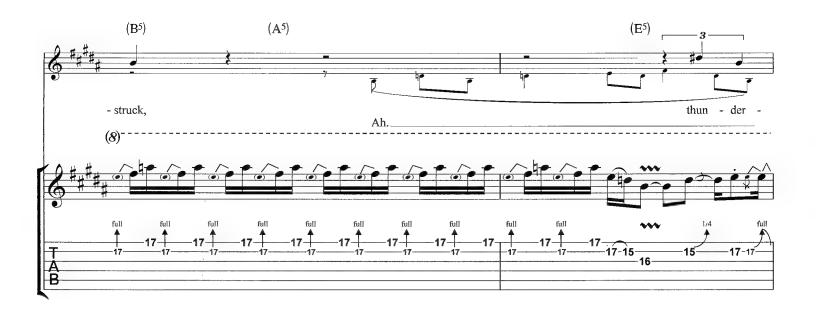


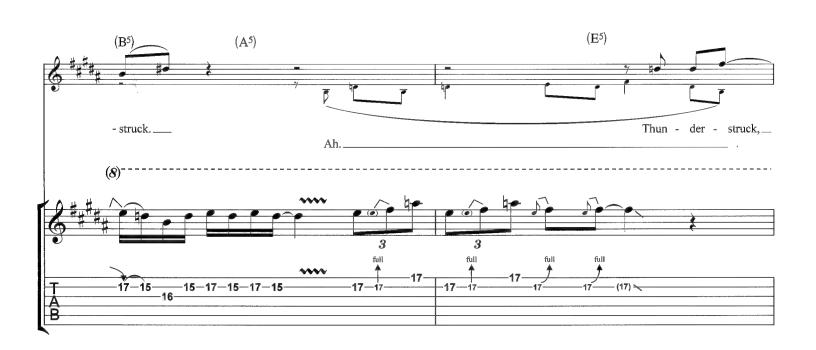


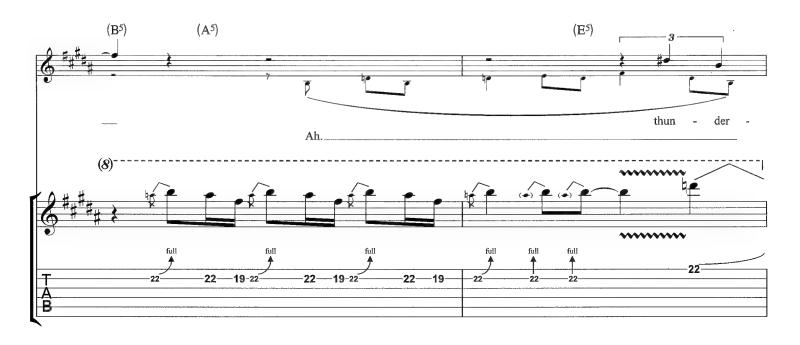












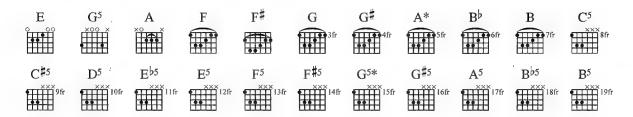


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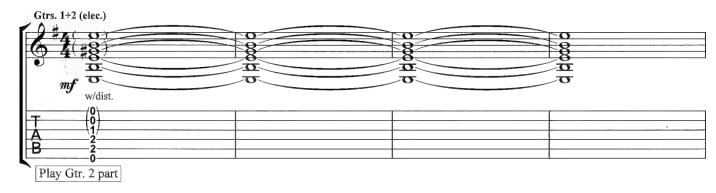
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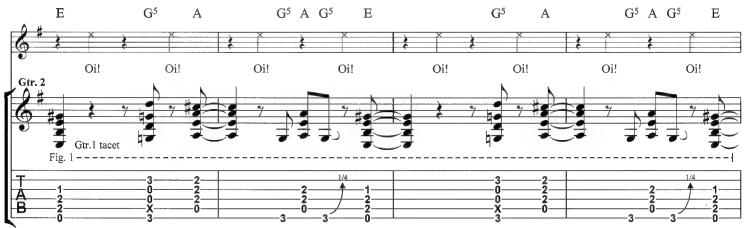
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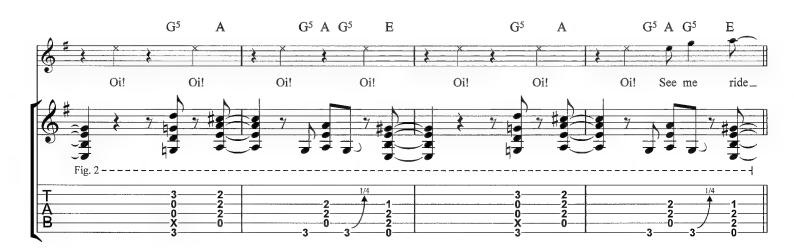


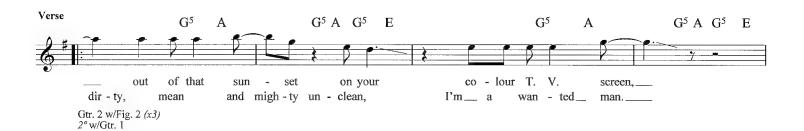
Intro
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J = 126

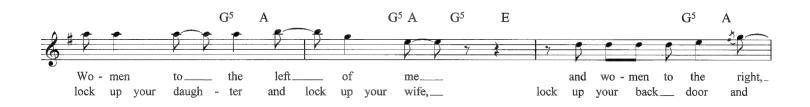


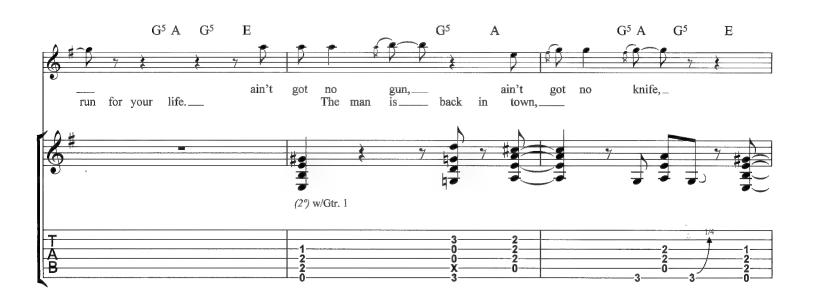


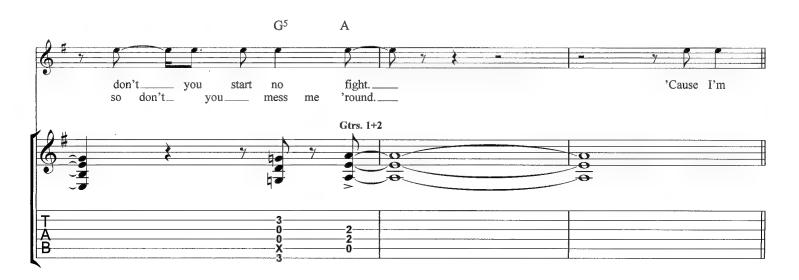


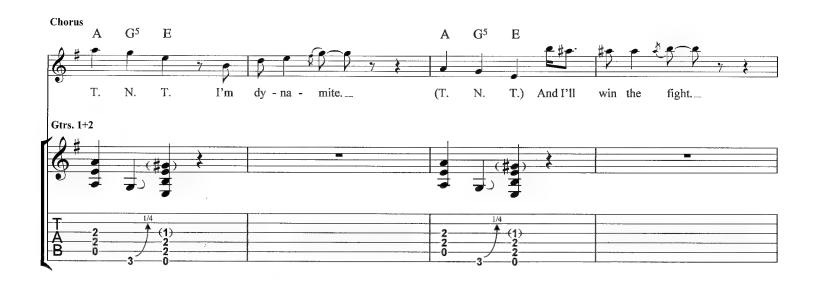


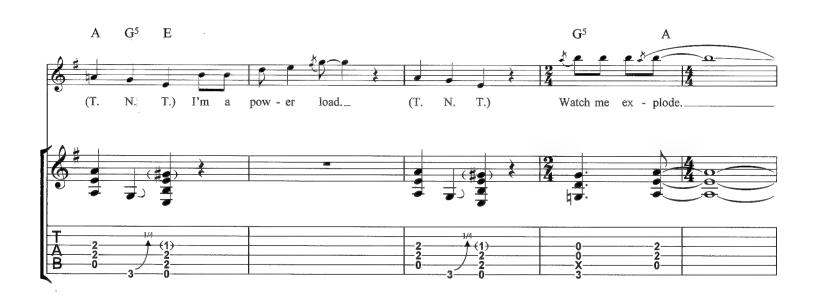


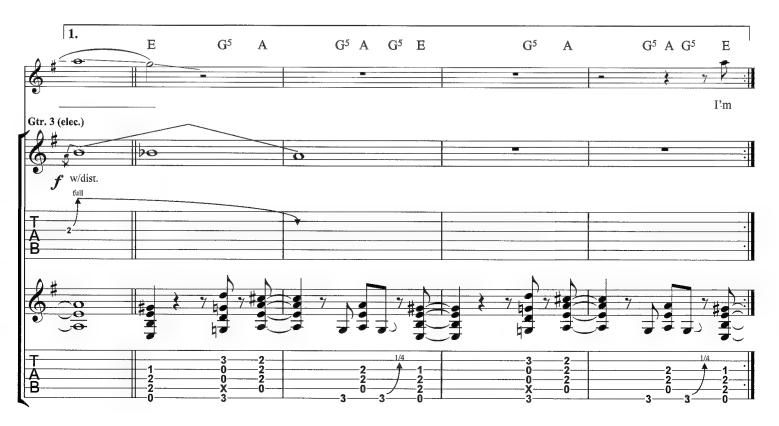


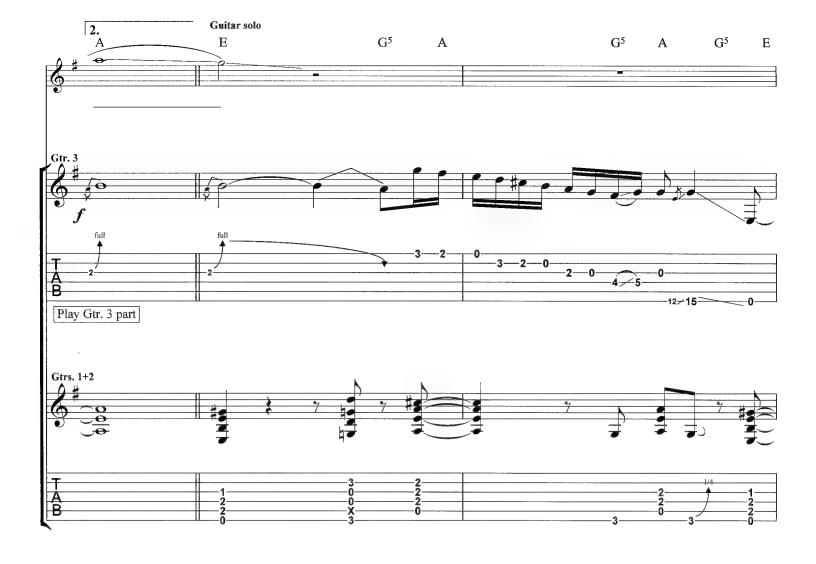


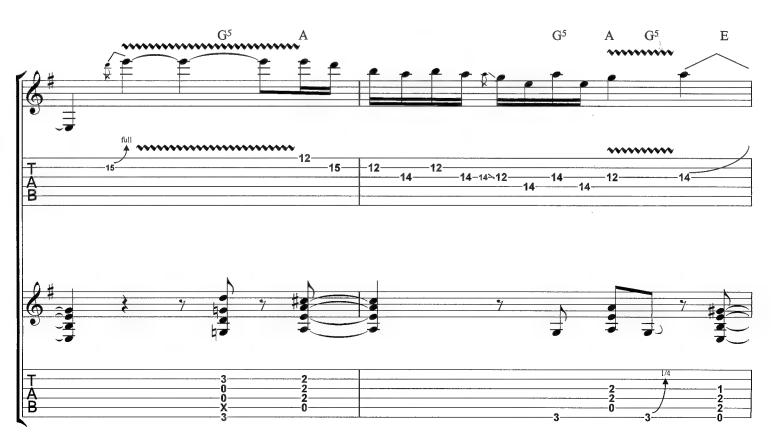






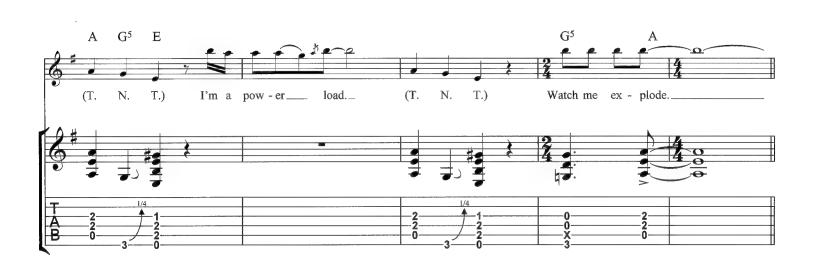


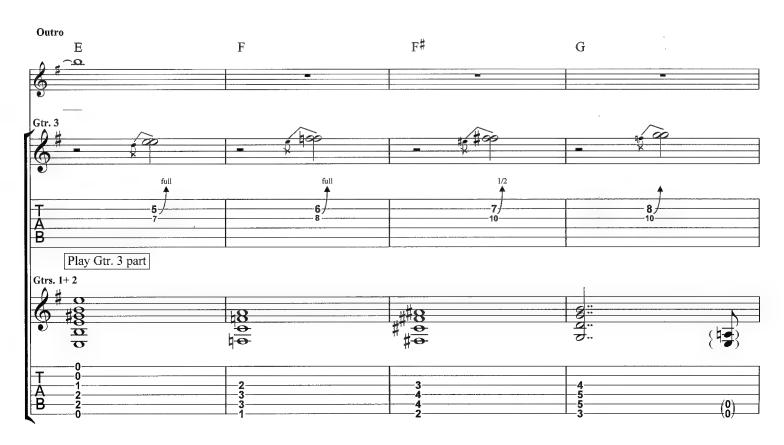




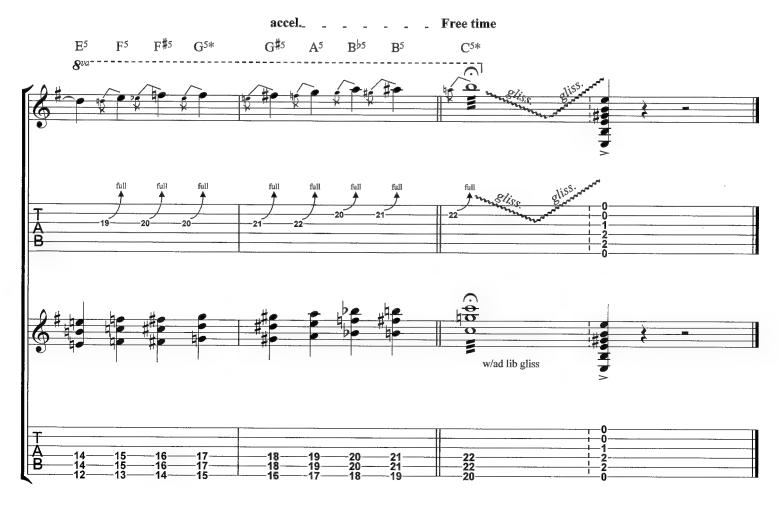












whole lotta rosie

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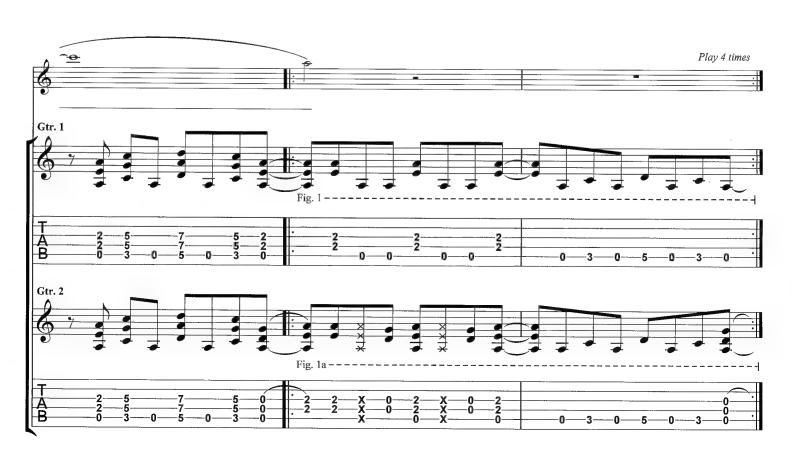
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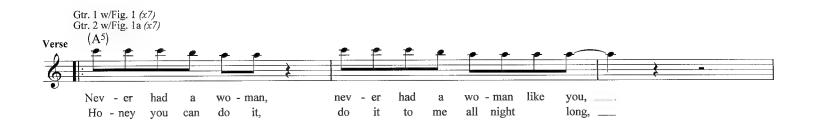
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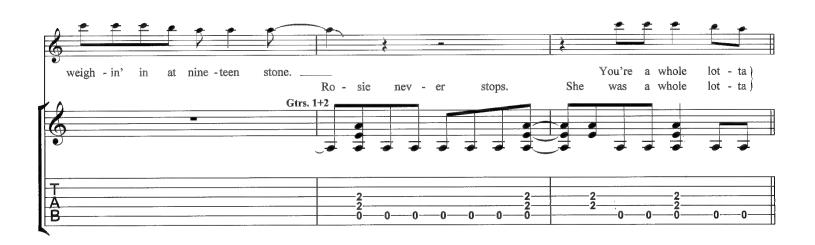


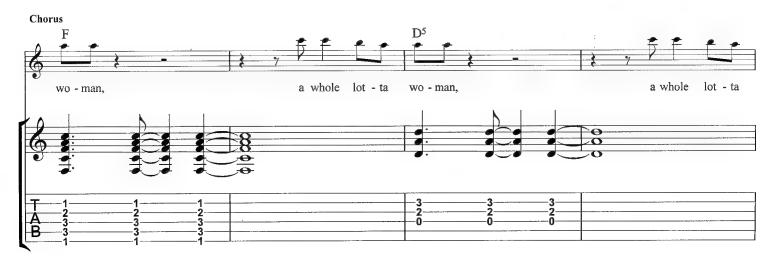




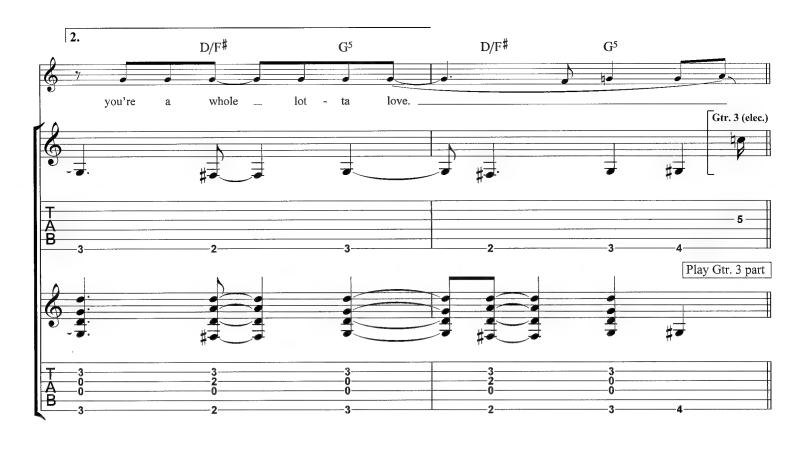




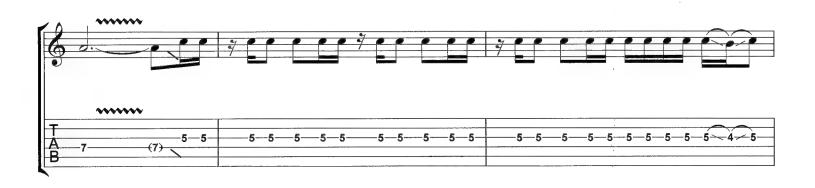


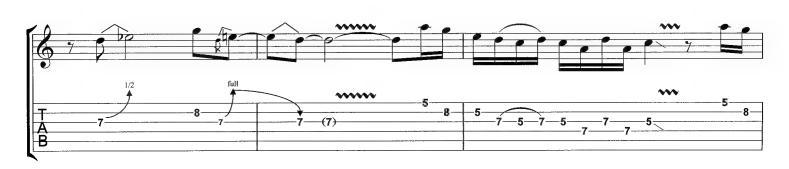


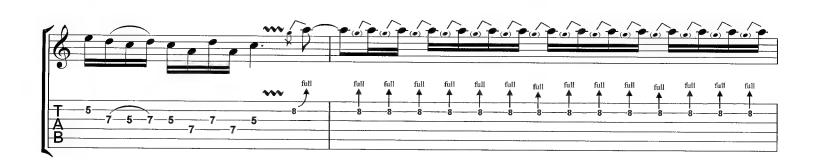






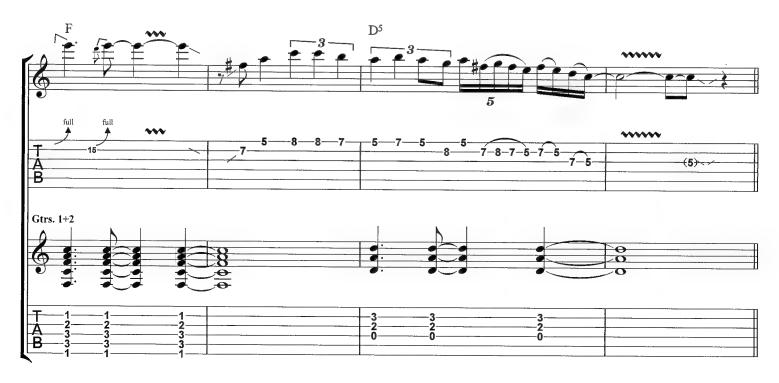






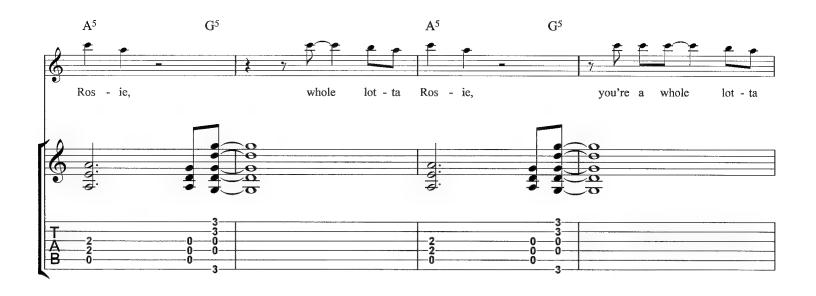




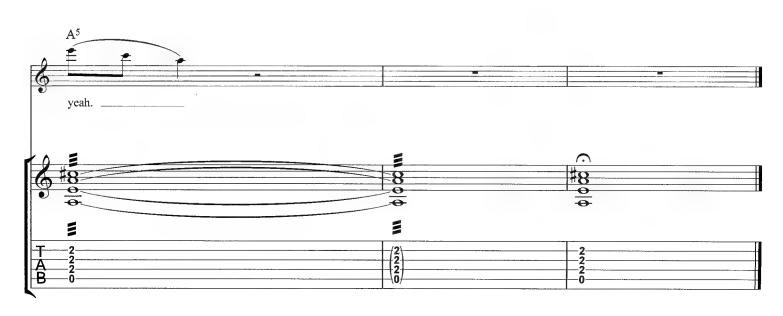






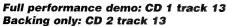






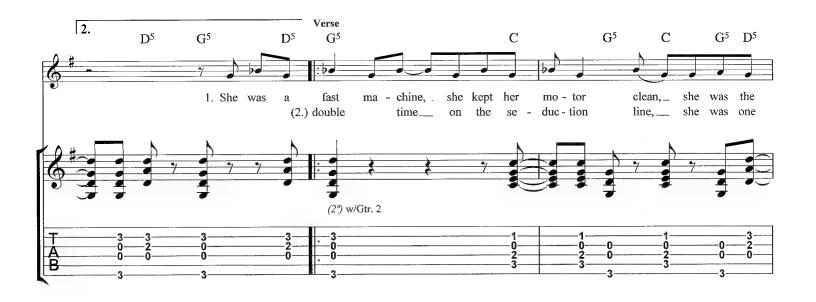
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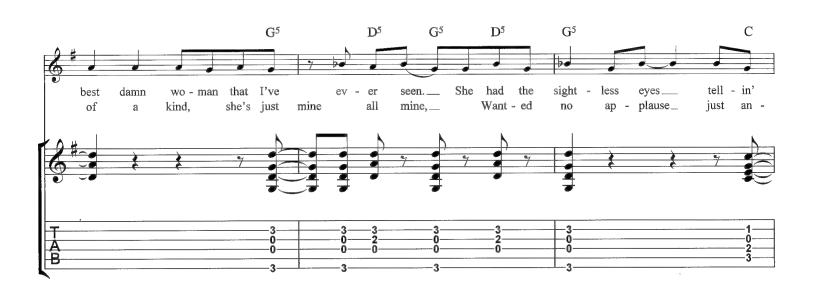
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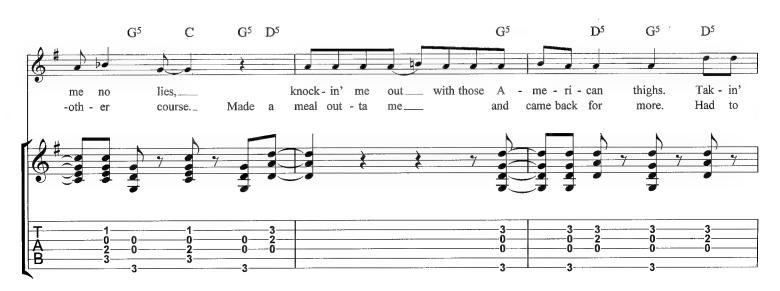


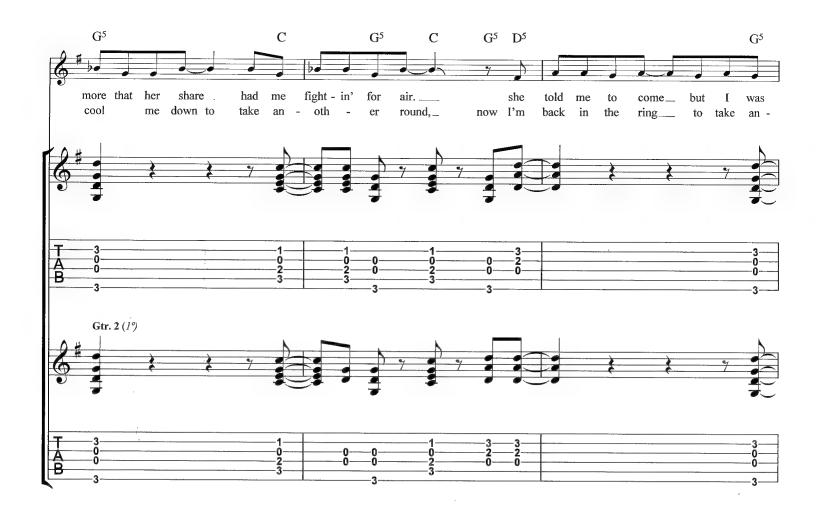
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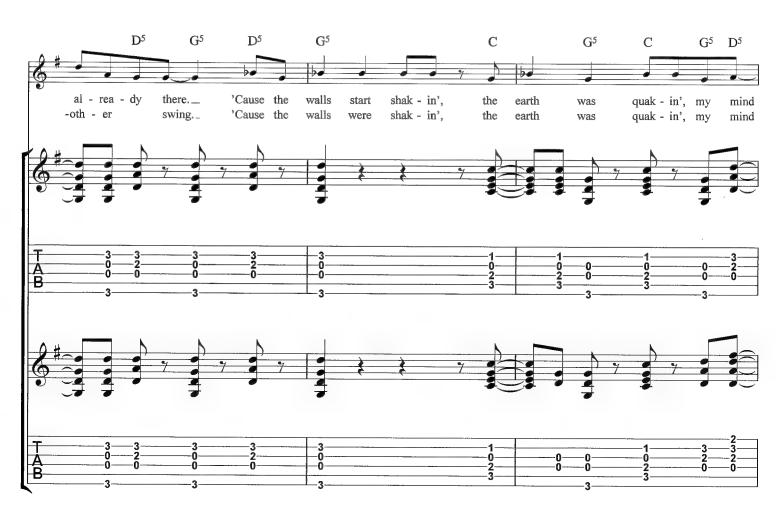


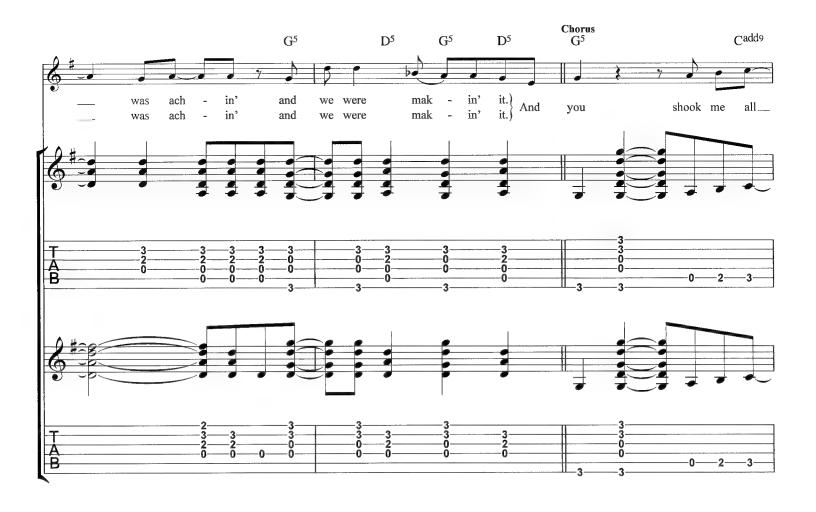


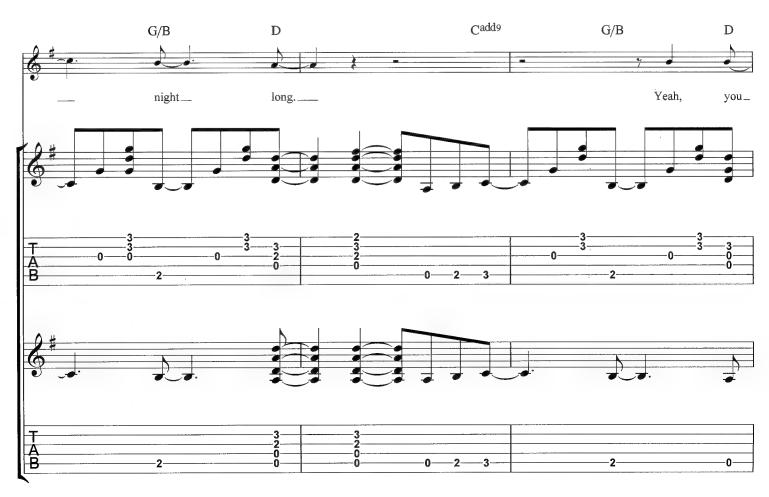


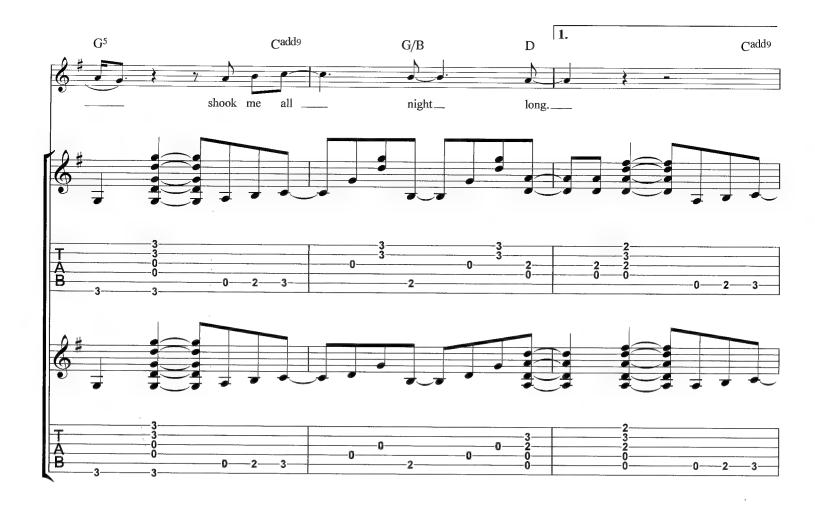


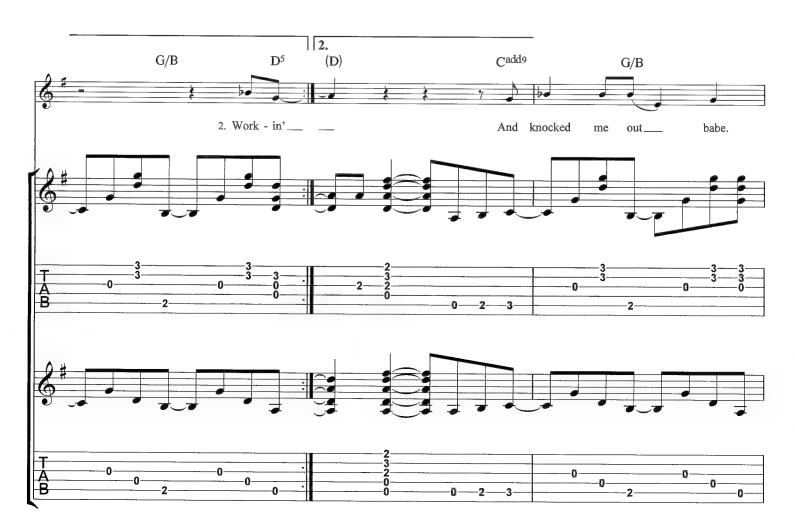


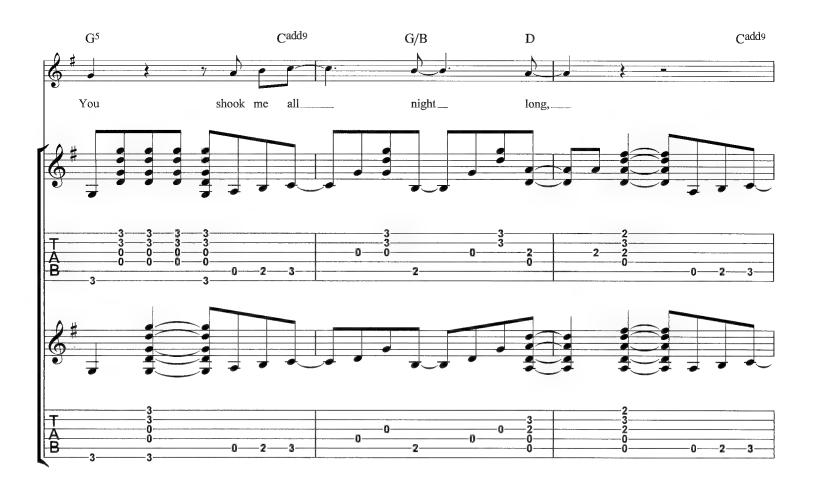


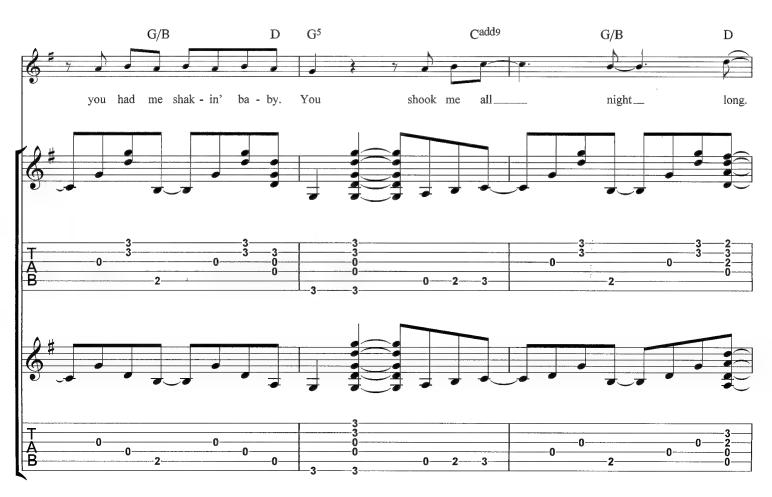


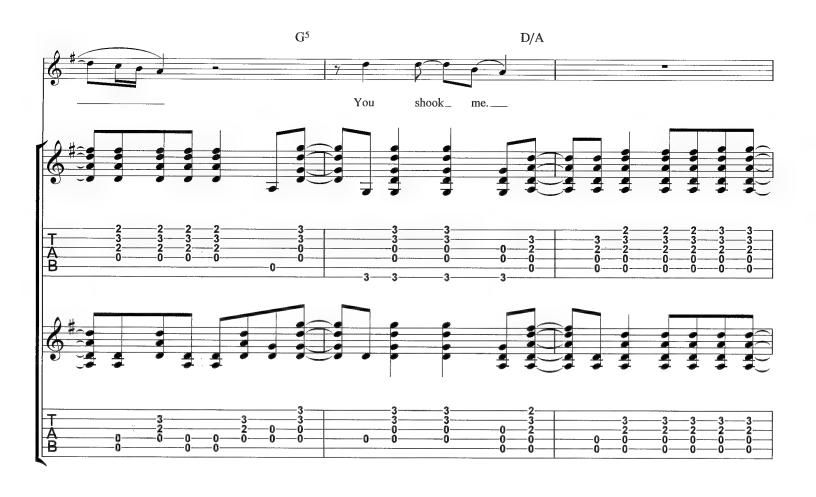


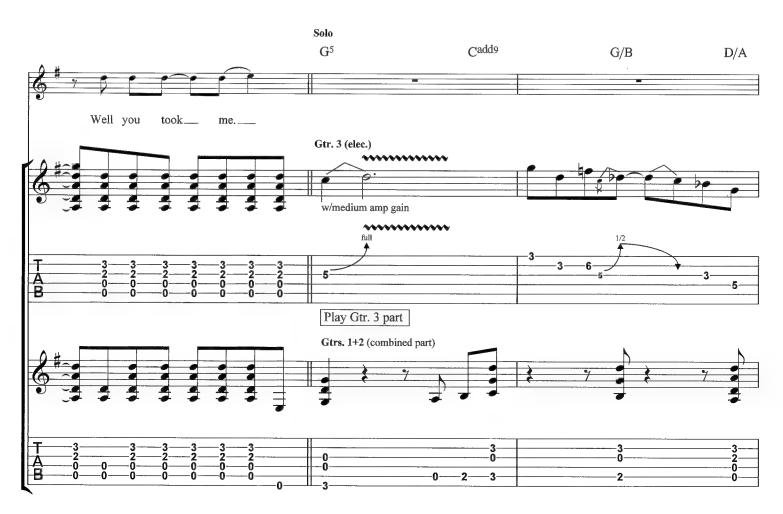


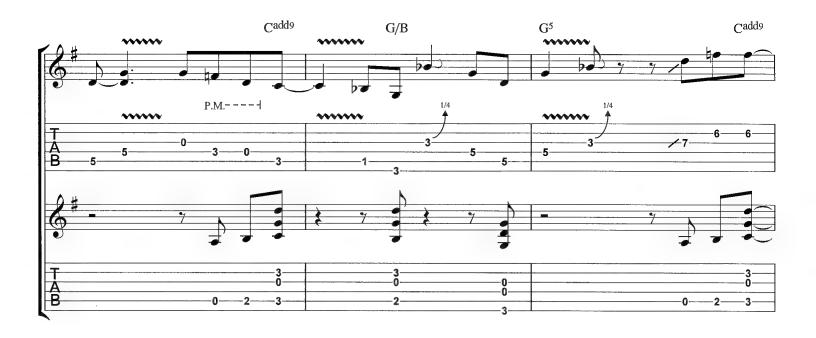


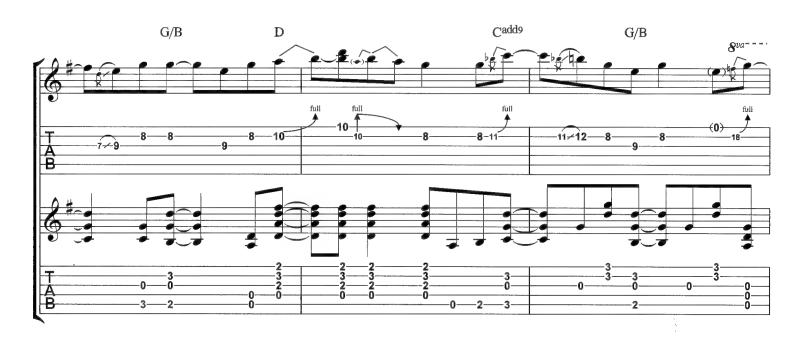


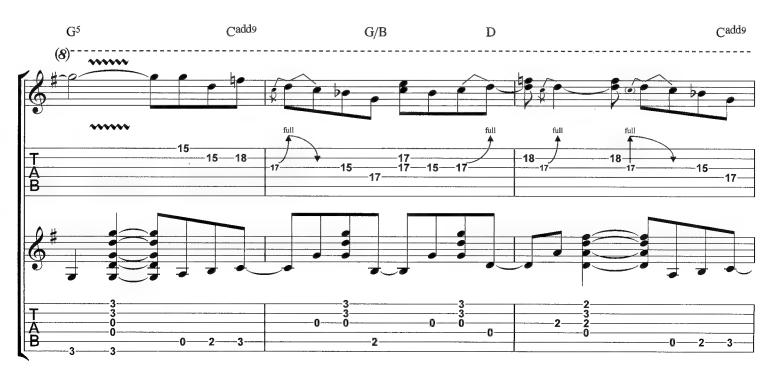


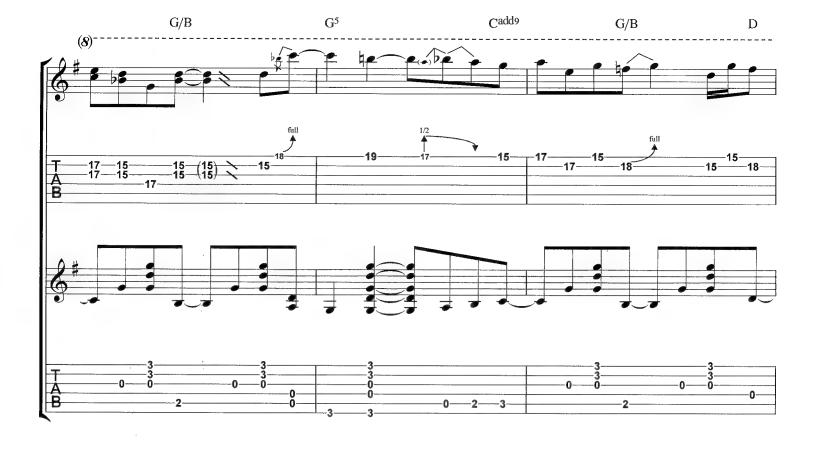


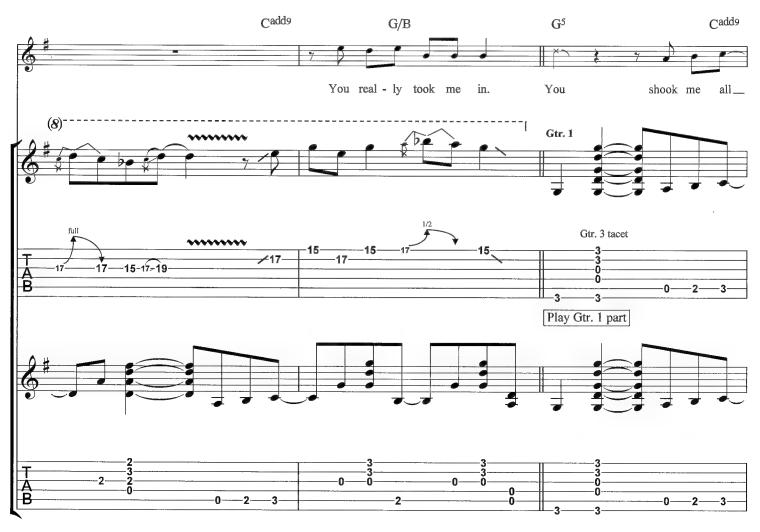


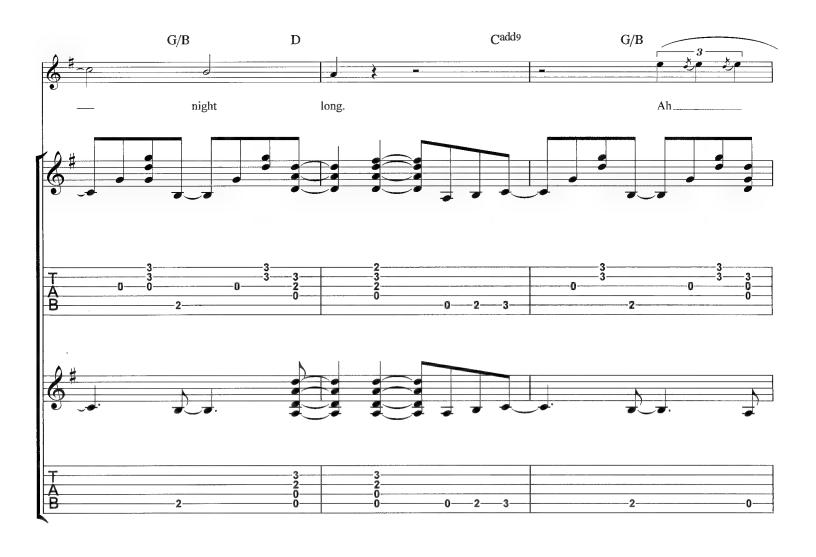


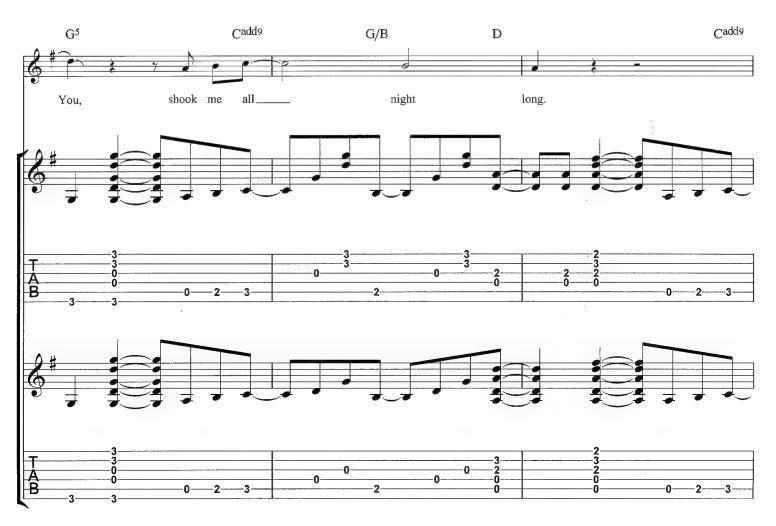


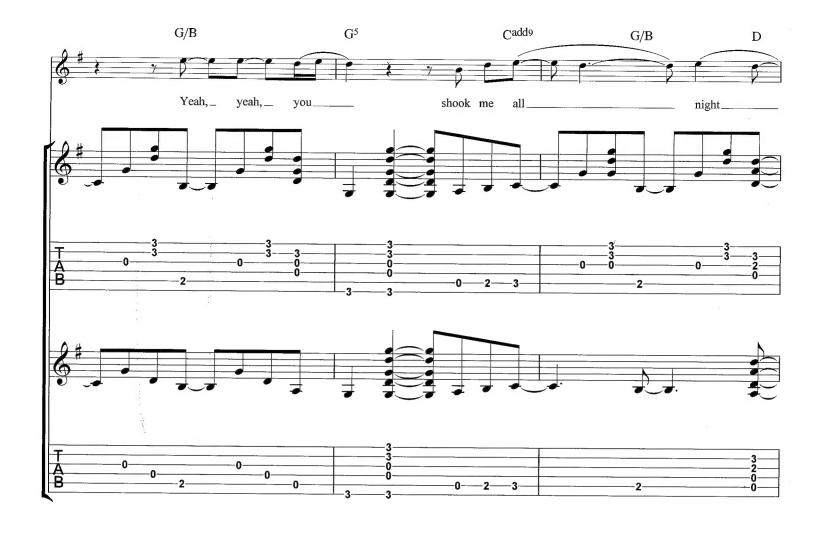


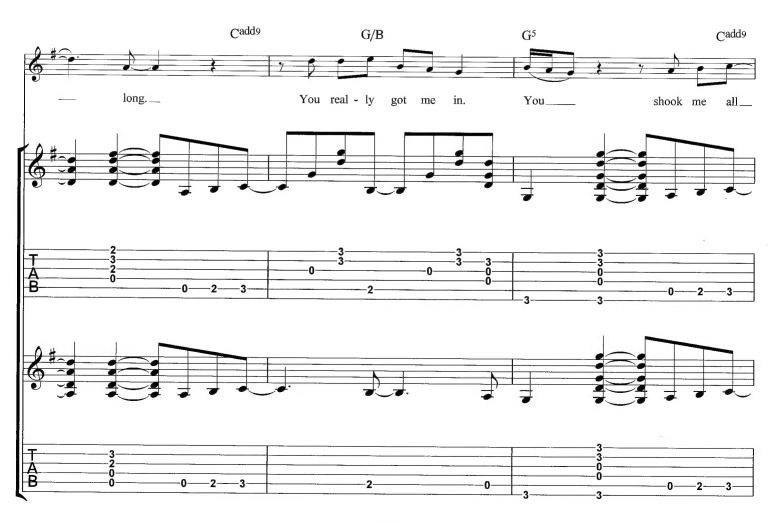


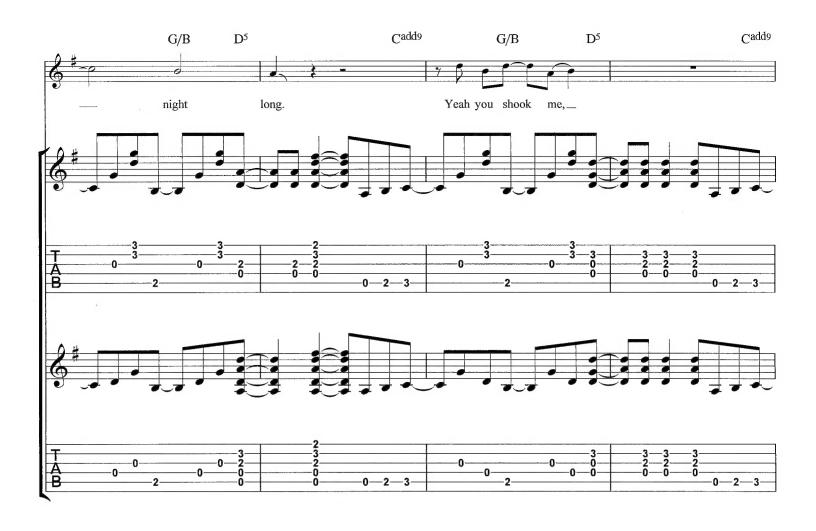


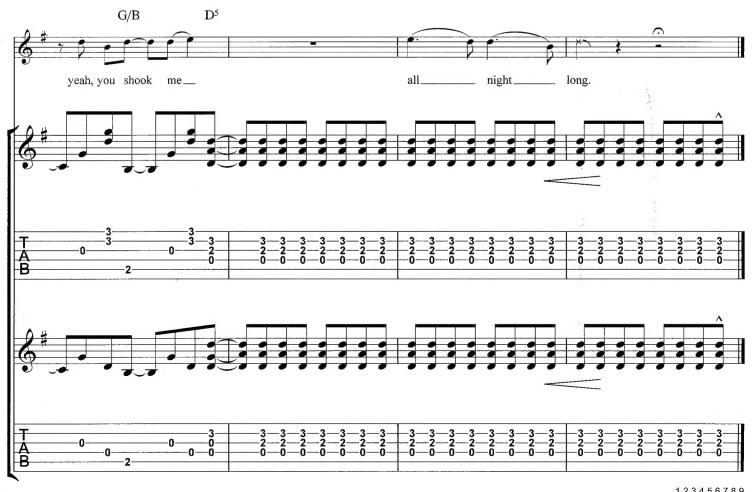












CD track listing

Full instrumental performances (with quitar)...

Back in black

(A. Young/M. Young/B. Johnson) J. Albert & Son Pty. Ltd

- 2 dirty deeds done dirt cheap (A. Young/M. Young/B. Scott) J. Albert & Son Pty. Ltd.
- g for those about to rock (We salute you)
 (A. Young/M. Young/B. Johnson) J. Albert & Son Pty. Ltd.

a hells bells

(A. Young/M. Young/B. Johnson) J. Albert & Son Pty. Ltd.

5 highway to hell
(A. Young/M. Young/B. Scott) J. Albert & Son Pty. Ltd.

ត it's a long way to the top (if you wanna rock 'n' roll)

(A. Young/M. Young/B. Scott) J. Albert & Son Pty. Ltd.

7 let there be rock

(A. Young/M. Young/B. Scott) J. Albert & Son Pty. Ltd.

8 rock and roll ain't noise pollution

(A. Young/M. Young/B. Johnson) J. Albert & Son Pty. Ltd

g rock 'n' roll train

(A. Young/M. Young) Leidseplein Presse B.V. Administered by J. Albert & Son Ptv. Ltd.

10 thunderstruck

(A. Young/M. Young) J. Albert & Son Ptv. Ltd.

11 t.n.t.

(A. Young/M. Young/B. Scott) J. Albert & Son Ptv. Ltd.

12 whole lotta rosie

(A. Young/M. Young/B. Scott) J. Albert & Son Pty. Ltd.

13 you shook me all night long

(A. Young/M. Young/B. Johnson) J. Albert & Son Pty. Ltd.

Disc 2 Backing tracks (without guitar)...

- a back in black
- 2 dirty deeds done dirt cheap
- 3 for those about to rock (we salute you)
- 4 hells bells
- 5 highway to hell
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hells bells
highway to hell
it's a long way to the top
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thunderstruck
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what you get in this pack...

on the CD

two specially recorded 'soundalike' backing tracks of each song...

- full demo with guitar showing you how the song should sound.
- backing track without guitar for you to play along with on your own guitar.

in the music book

music, chords and lyrics. learn the guitar part from the tab or the standard notation.

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